

COOLIDGE SWORN IN AS NATION MOURNS HARDING

TAKES OATH EARLY ON FRIDAY

NEW EXECUTIVE SWORN IN BY FATHER AT 2:47

Vice president receives news of Harding's death at home of senior Coolidge in Vermont village

COOLIDGE EXPRESSES PURPOSE OF FOLLOWING HARDING POLICIES

Expresses Grief at Passing of Friend and Chief; Goes Immediately to Washington

PLYMOUTH, Vt.—By the Associated Press.—Vice President Calvin Coolidge became president of the United States at 2:47 a. m. Friday, eastern standard time, when he took the oath in the living room of his father's farmhouse in this little mountain village where he was born. Three hours earlier he had been notified of the death of President Harding and in a brief statement had expressed his grief at the passing of his "chief and friend," and his purpose of carrying out the policies of the American people. The oath was administered by his father, Rev. John C. Coolidge.

A telephone had been installed in the Coolidge farm house. Within an hour after word of the death of President Harding had been received and communication with Washington, the exact form of the oath was obtained. In a clear voice the vice president repeated after his father the words prescribed by the constitution: "I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the office of president of the United States and I will to the best of my ability, preserve, protect and defend the constitution of the United States."

Then, although the constitution does not require it, he added "So help me God."

Witnesses Are Few

The witnesses of the simple ceremony were Mrs. Coolidge, Congressman Porter H. Dale, of Vermont; Edwin C. Glosser, Mr. Coolidge's secretary; Joseph H. Fountain, editor of the Springfield (Vt.) Reporter; Joseph M. McInerney of Springfield, a federal officer; L. L. Lane of Cheshire, president of the New England Railway Mail association; and Herbert P. Thompson, commander of the Springfield Post of the American Legion.

President Coolidge made immediate preparations to start for Washington. It was arranged that he should motor.

WEATHER REPORT

For La Crosse and vicinity.—Unsettled tonight and Saturday with probably local showers. Not much change in temperature.

For Wisconsin.—Unsettled tonight and Saturday with probably local showers. Not much change in temperature.

For Iowa.—Partly cloudy; tonight and Saturday with scattered thunder showers. Not much change in temperature.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

La Crosse	74
Madison	72
Chicago	70
St. Paul	68
Minneapolis	66
Des Moines	64
Omaha	62
St. Louis	60
Indianapolis	58
Cincinnati	56
Cleveland	54
Buffalo	52
Rochester	50
Syracuse	48
Albany	46
Schenectady	44
Buffalo	42
Rochester	40
Syracuse	38
Albany	36
Schenectady	34

RIVER FORECAST

There will be no material change in the river stages during the next 24 hours.

RIVER BULLETIN

Stations	Flood Height	24-hour change
St. Paul	12.2	+0.1
Minneapolis	11.8	+0.1
St. Louis	11.4	+0.1
Indianapolis	11.0	+0.1
Cincinnati	10.6	+0.1
Cleveland	10.2	+0.1
Buffalo	9.8	+0.1
Rochester	9.4	+0.1
Syracuse	9.0	+0.1
Albany	8.6	+0.1
Schenectady	8.2	+0.1

NATION-WIDE RECORD

Low	High
St. Paul	12.2
Minneapolis	11.8
St. Louis	11.4
Indianapolis	11.0
Cincinnati	10.6
Cleveland	10.2
Buffalo	9.8
Rochester	9.4
Syracuse	9.0
Albany	8.6
Schenectady	8.2

But that assurance failed to satisfy the committee of friends and advisers and they continued their arguments.

PRESIDENT CALVIN COOLIDGE



HARDING'S DEATH THROWS POLITICAL SITUATION INTO CHAOS FOR REPUBLICANS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—By the Associated Press.—President Harding's death throws new complexities into the political situation within the republican party which undoubtedly will have far-reaching reflections in the national convention next year.

It probably will turn what many expected to be merely a ratification, into a contest for the republican presidential nomination with the stalwart conservatives aligned on one side and forces represented by such leaders as Senators Johnson of California, Borah of Idaho and La Follette of Wisconsin on the other.

Six months ago the re-nomination of President Harding without any substantial contest seemed assured. One of the men regarded as his likely principal opponent for the nomination had confessed to a colleague that he found himself without an issue.

World Court Started Row

The president's pronouncement for entry of the United States into the world court, however, altered the situation.

During the last few weeks there has come definite information that all was not going to be as clear sailing as had been expected in the republican national convention and that there might be a contest after all.

There were days of discouragement. In the first months of President Harding's term and on many occasions he expressed to close friends his wonderment why anybody wanted to be president with its trials and tribulations and "the thanklessness of the job."

In one moment of disgust and discouragement Mr. Harding had said to a close political friend who had been held in reserve in the dark horse list during the convention of 1920:

"Do you want this job next time? If you do, it's yours as far as I am concerned; I'll be for you."

Mrs. Harding for Fight

But his friends urged him to put discouragement aside and carry on. Mrs. Harding also urged him to put away thoughts of stepping down.

Mature deliberation among the old heads in the regular wing of the party developed a decision that if the republican party were to ask the American people to continue it in power for another four years it must do so on the record of the Harding administration.

Mr. Harding up to that time, had permitted no authoritative word of his intentions to get out and a delegation of the leaders went to the white house to find out about them.

"Warren," said the spokesman, "you've got to make some announcement of your intentions. These fellows who are opposing your nomination are growing; they are asking that one and before we know it, our wing of the party won't have anybody as a candidate and we'll lose political advantage."

"Boys," said the president, "I have not made up my mind; I expect to make some speeches in the west and elsewhere some time soon and if the reaction is favorable I'll carry on."

Agrees to Make Race

But that assurance failed to satisfy the committee of friends and advisers and they continued their arguments.

DEATH BULLETIN

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif.—

The formal statement of President Harding's physicians announcing the chief executive's end said:

"The president died instantaneously and without warning and while conversing with members of his family at 7:30. Death was apparently due to some brain involvement, probably apoplexy."

"During the day he had been free from discomfort and there was every justification for anticipating a prompt recovery."

(Signed)
"C. E. SAWYER, M. D."
"RAY LYMAN WILBUR, M. D."

"C. M. COOPER, M. D."
"J. T. BOONE, M. D."
"HUBERT WORK, M. D."

This was followed by a second bulletin which made the flat announcement that death was due to apoplexy and that Mrs. Harding, General Sawyer and the two nurses were in the room at the time.

CAPITAL STUNNED BY NEWS OF DEATH OF THE PRESIDENT

Citizens of Washington Feel Personal Loss in Passing of Warren G. Harding

NEWS FINDS PRESIDENT'S OFFICIAL FAMILY SCATTERED

Official Word Comes in Telegram to Secretary of State

WASHINGTON, D. C.—By The Associated Press.—From its highest official to its humblest citizen, Washington, awoke Friday to slow realization that President Warren G. Harding lay dead in far away San Francisco.

The suddenness of the blow struck Thursday night with numbing force. Not until the morning papers bore the news over the city was it fully credited.

And among the common folk everywhere realization of the truth carried with it a sense of personal loss. The big and kindly man, who for two years had lived at the white house with friendly eyes as he moved about the city, there was that in his face that won friendship for him from thousands who saw him only as chance brought him into the streets or public places.

To the very few in high official life who were in Washington when the wires brought the ill tidings over the country, the shock came with trebled force. They knew him best, and after many hours of anxiety and eager scanning of the bulletins from his bedside, they had been lulled into confidence that he was soon to be among them again, that calm, kindly leader with whom they have tolled shoulder to shoulder.

Official Family Scattered

It was to a strangely scattered official family that word of their leader's death was flashed. Of all the cabinet, only Postmaster General New was actually within the limits of the national capital. Sec. Hughes, the only other cabinet officer within more than a day's journey, was at his summer residence in Maryland, a score of miles away.

At the request of President Harding, the man on whose shoulders destiny has flung the mantle of high authority, Calvin Coolidge, also has been a member of the cabinet family. He has for regularly in the bi-weekly councils in the white house cabinet room ever since the inauguration. Thus unknowingly, he prepared himself to pick up the threads of national and international affairs where they dropped so suddenly from the lifeless hands of his predecessor.

Hughes Gets First Word

Official word of Mr. Harding's death came in a message from Attorney General Daugherty in San Francisco to Secretary Hughes. The telegram stated merely that President Harding had died of cerebral hemorrhage. This message, the secretary promptly relayed to all members of the cabinet, to Secretaries

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BLOW IS WITHOUT WARNING

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WARREN G. HARDING

LA CROSSE MOURNS DEATH OF PRESIDENT HARDING; SAD NEWS COMES IN THE NIGHT

LA CROSSE today mourned the death of President Harding.

All flags were at half mast. Citizens generally expressed their sorrow over the passing of the chief executive. The news came as a shock to the entire populace after reading the encouraging news in Thursday afternoon's Tribune, which seemed to indicate the president was on the road to recovery. Citizens of all political parties expressed their admiration for the sterling qualities of President Harding and his fearless stand on many big questions.

Mayor J. J. Verchota was one of the first to express his regret over the death of the president, and early Friday morning he ordered the flags on all city buildings at half mast.

The news of the sudden death of the president was conveyed to a majority of the residents of La Crosse by Tribune newsboys who circulated throughout the residence districts calling the extra edition, which was published at midnight, and announcing the passing of the executive. Hundreds of persons, awakened out of sound sleep by the heralds of the sad news, hastened to doors and bought copies of the paper. Throughout the morning the demand for the extras continued, and by nine o'clock nearly everyone in La Crosse had read the extra.

VICE WAR FUND IS VOTED BY COUNTY BOARD THURSDAY

Five Hundred Dollars is Appropriated to Prosecute Disorderly Resorts

THE La Crosse county board's August meeting, concluded late Thursday, put through more moral and law enforcement measures than any three previous meetings combined. Here is what the supervisors did:

Appropriated \$500 to be used by the district attorney in prosecuting disorderly resorts in the county and curbing vice in the country districts.

Passed the ordinance which carries stringent regulations of dance halls, bathing beaches and amusement parks.

Appointed supervisors or town chairmen from the country districts as supervisors of country dances.

Named 78 persons who will act as deputy sheriffs in the enforcement of highway traffic laws in the county outside of the city of La Crosse. They will be empowered to make arrests of speeders and other violators of the state laws on public highways.

The dance hall ordinance was unanimously adopted. Dance halls will have to pay a \$10 license fee for every dance held and amusement parks and bathing beaches must pay \$10 license fee a year. Every supervisor in the country districts will be empowered to supervise dances held in his township. The ordinance was drawn up by the State Association of County Board Chairmen and is being adopted by all county boards in the state.

Markle Seeks War on Vice

The resolution asking for an appropriation of \$500 with which to fight vice in the county was offered by Supervisor Markle of the town of Shelby, in which most of the road-houses in the county are located. The attention of the board was called to the resolution to disorderly resorts in the country that are becoming "dangerous to the welfare of citizens of the county and to the morals of the youth."

There was practically no discussion.

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DEATH COMES AS RESULT OF BRAIN STROKE

Nation's Leader is Suddenly Stricken After Day of Renewed Hope for His Recovery

TAKE BODY EAST ON TRAIN WHICH CARRIED PRESIDENT TO COAST

Arrangements Being Made for Services in Washington and Burial in Marion

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif.—By the Associated Press.—A nation Friday mourned the passing of its leader.

The American people from coast to coast and from lakes to gulf and in the territories beyond the seas bowed their heads in grief for their president was dead. In the early hours of Thursday evening, after a dawn which had brought renewed hope of recovery, death came suddenly and struck down Warren G. Harding with a stroke of cerebral apoplexy.

The end came instantaneously and without even a second of warning at 7:30 o'clock (9:30 central standard time). There was no time to summon additional physicians, no time to call the members of his official family, and no time for medical skill to exercise its knowledge. It was all over in the twinkling of an eye and it left a nation and the world shocked and in grief.

End Comes Without Warning

Mrs. Harding, the constant companion of her distinguished husband, was faithful until the end. She was reading to him a few minutes before 7:30 o'clock when she noticed a shud-

der run through the frame of the man she had loved, encouraged in adversity and praised in success. Before she could arise from her chair Mr. Harding collapsed in his bed and she rushed to the door calling for the physicians to come quickly.

Brigadier General Sawyer, chief of the staff of physicians, who had been attending the chief executive, who also was in the room, and the two nurses present, Miss Ruth Powerly and Miss Susan Dawson, did all they could but it availed nothing.

The president had fought and won one victory against disease, but it appeared in a more insidious form and he lost the battle.

Peaceful in Death

As in life, so in death, calm, composed and of peaceful mien.

In a gray draped room far above San Francisco's business district, all that is mortal of America's twenty-ninth president reposes. Death in coming had left no mark on his countenance.

But for the closing of the eyelids by loving fingers it was as if he had been a moment after the president, pleased by what Mrs. Harding was reading to him had said:

"That's good. Go on. Read some more."

Wife Meets Shock Bravely

Great as was the shock to all who dwell under the American flag and to peoples in many lands—for Mr. Harding by virtue of his office, his kindly and his likable personality had become a world figure—the great shock came to his wife, reading by his side. But she did not collapse.

"She was shocked, of course, and at first unable to realize that she had lost the husband who had made up all the interest in her life for so many proud and happy years," said General Sawyer later. "But there was no collapse, no hysteria. Just a brave rally to face her sorrows and the duties devolving upon her at this hour."

Mrs. Harding was standing the shock well early Friday but whether

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FACTS WANTED BY BLAINE CAN BE HAD BY PROBE—SEVERSON

MADISON, Wis.—By The Associated Press.—Senator H. J. Severson replied Friday to the demand of Governor Blaine that he furnish proof of his charges that girls have been assaulted by state officials in locked capital offices by charging the governor with killing two resolutions for an investigation which would have disclosed the information. He declared his willingness to lay all of his information before an investigating committee of the legislature.

FLAG REAPPEARS ON WHITE HOUSE FLIES HALF MAST

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The American flag which flies over the White House whenever the president is in Washington, but which remains tucked away when he is absent, reappeared on its flagstaff Friday morning at half mast.

FIVE HURT IN SMASH

FOND DU LAC, Wis.—While en route from Belgium, Wis., to Kellgo, Minn., Dominick Watry, 47, Holy Cross, sustained a fracture of the skull; Mrs. Albert Goshier, 47, a cut over the left eye and her three daughters were injured when a car driven by Watry turned over near here.

NYE VERDICT OPEN

CHICAGO.—An open verdict was returned Friday by a coroner's jury in the death of Irwin Nye, Janesville, Wis., who fell from the nineteenth floor of a downtown hotel Thursday morning. The jurors were unable to decide whether the fall had been accidental or with suicidal intent.

TRAFFIC PROBLEM COSTING LONDON MILLIONS YEARLY

Newspapers Start Campaign to
Eliminate Delays and
Congestion

LONDON.—Twenty million pounds annually is thrown to the winds as the result of traffic delays and congestion on the streets of London, according to experts in the art of statistics. This huge sum, which is said to be a conservative estimate, is sufficient, however, to arouse the indignation of many London newspapermen, and to open a campaign against the present plight of the street traffic.

The members for London in the House of Commons have agreed to take the matter up and present a bill designed to regulate all classes of traffic in the city.

The most difficult problem in London is that of the omnibuses and other heavy motor lorries. There are about 3,700 passenger buses in operation in the city, and the number is steadily increasing. The congested traffic has caused a considerable loss to the bus owners, as it is impossible for the machines to make any speed through the maze of other vehicles. The situation is becoming worse according to the newspapers, and it now takes a bus three minutes longer to traverse the Strand about a half mile in length, than it did six months ago.

A report shows that 53,500 vehicles pass Hyde Park Corner every 12 hours beginning at eight o'clock in the morning, while Piccadilly Circus accounts for 42,200 and Trafalgar Square for 41,000.

At the present time only in the City of London proper, an area of less than a square mile, is heavy traffic prohibited on some of the main streets. On all other streets any class of vehicle may wander at its own will.

There have been many attempts by royal commissions and select committees to deal with the problem, but these have been unable to find a solution.

TWO TAKEN IN GUN DUEL

ADMIT BURGLARY CHARGE

MERRILL, Wis.—Jacob Turbin, charged with burglary in connection with a garage raid at Gleason, pleaded guilty on Wednesday and was held for trial in circuit court under \$1,500 bonds. His partner, Fred Kress, who was shot twice in a gun duel with Deputy Sheriff McDonald, has confessed his part in the robbery, police said.

NEW ARCHDEACON NAMED

CRYSTAL FALLS, Mich.—The

Rev. W. Poyser of Crystal Falls, who for several years had been general missionary of the Episcopal diocese of Marquette, has been appointed archdeacon of the upper peninsula by Bishop Harris.

JUNIOR C. OF C.



Harry B. Mortimer, Milwaukee, Wis., is the new president of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce. He was elected at the recent convention in his home city. Young business men compose the organization, which is represented in many large cities.

PATIENCE, MEN: SHORT

SKIRTS COMING BACK

NEW YORK.—That short skirts are to return is indicated by the new fall models in dresses and suits, being displayed at the national merchandise fair here.

Early a year ago short skirts passed from madame's wardrobe and it was thought never would return, but, skirts are expected to return to the former high mark next summer. Several inches have been cut from street and evening frocks, the display shows.

In furs, semi-wrap will be prominent in fall and three-quarter lengths and mink again will hold the center of the fashion stage.

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TOKIO ROCKED BY 64 EARTHQUAKES IN TWO WEEKS

Many of Shocks Severe Enough
to Send Citizens from
Their Homes

TOKIO.—Tokio had a surfeit of earthquakes during June. Between the second and fourteenth of the month 64 were recorded on the seismograph, many of them of sufficient force to shake the hardened citizens of the capital and send them scurrying under door jams, which are considered the safest places when mother earth decides to readjust herself. Most of these shocks originated in Kashima Bay, which is in the earthquake zone and fortunately did no damage.

Dr. Fushichi Omori, authority on earthquakes and volcanoes, has assured the people that, despite the recent restlessness of the earth which will continue for some time, Tokio is a region comparatively free from danger. The shape and formation of Japan, according to Dr. Omori, make it peculiarly susceptible to underground disturbances. The volcanic zone lies along the inner Japan Sea side of the archipelago, with an

off-shoot at right angles in the direction of Mt. Fuji. The earthquake zone lies along the outer Pacific slope of Japan—the border of the Pacific on all sides being the scene of greatest earthquakes.

The superstition believes that Japan rests on a huge fish and earthquakes are caused by this fish becoming restless.

BOBBED HAIR RULED OUT

CHICAGO, Ill.—Fall styles do not permit bobbed hair, human hair importers attending a cosmetic convention said. Tons of hair and switches are being imported from England and France for overnight transformation of flappers, it was announced.



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Warren G. Harding

THAT President Harding, apparently recovered from a serious illness, should be struck down without an instant's warning comes as a stunning shock to the nation. It is perhaps the more disastrous from the fact that the president, in the last few months of his life, had been displaying more than ever before the qualities of leadership and firmness which are the fitting qualifications for the chief executive of the country. Warren Harding has never appeared so great a man, had never made such an approach to the affections and enthusiasm of the nation, as he was making in the addresses he delivered on the journey which ended in his death.

His last public utterance—the undelivered San Francisco speech which was given out in the form of a statement because its author was too ill for public appearance—probably marks the high tide of his administration. There was in it a firm consciousness of his responsibility as president of the United States and a sincere and unflinching adoption of a foreign policy which he believed to be right, although it was held by many of Mr. Harding's advisers to be unpopular. Earlier in the trip the president had displayed a hitherto unrevealed anxiety over the economic difficulties of the average citizen, proposing a sweeping pioneer enterprise in consumer co-operation which brought him under fire from all the batteries of privilege and entrenched interests whose point of view, in the rough and hasty partisanship of politics, he was assumed to hold. He had in the same space of time made known his abandonment of the counsels of the "best minds" which had always, in the earlier years of his administration, been used by his enemies to clinch the assertion that he was the representative of a group and class, rather than the president of the whole people.

In short, Warren Harding was just emerging in his full stature as a man and a statesman when he was taken away. The inevitable influence of presidential responsibility upon the character of any man of uprightness and patriotic devotion, an influence which has never failed to bring out the best in every man who has held the office since the birth of the republic, was having its way with him, turning the dependable party wheel-horse into the national leader, able and willing to carry the burden of his great position as the chief servant of all the people. His influence was growing day by day, both with the public and with his party, and that it would have been exerted in the party counsels with force and effect cannot be doubted, for he was the logical standard-bearer for the 1924 elections.

The nation's loss in the death of a president whose experience was bringing his talents into the flower of his usefulness, at a time when experience and stability is urgently needed in domestic and foreign affairs. It has lost, moreover, a great citizen of kindly and charming temper, in whom the homely virtues of the average American stood out in perfect type. We can only sympathize with his devoted wife and trust that the destiny of the United States will raise up to take his place one whose knowledge and capabilities will be sufficient to carry on without a break the broadening policies which President Harding was formulating at his untimely death.

The Roots Go Deep

ITALY has warned Zita, ex-empress of Austria, that she must not sell a huge diamond which was among the crown jewels of Austria, because it is Italian property. It was taken from Tuscany, then an independent state, when that Italian province fell under Austrian rule in the eighteenth century. The Italian government claimed title to it in the treaty following the great war, together with other ancient treasures similarly acquired by Austria during the period of her ascendancy. Zita took it with her when she fled from Vienna at the war's end.

It is a small incident, but illuminating. It shows the deep-seated, far-reaching roots which feed and engender the problems of Europe. They go back untold centuries, to wrongs and

injustice done by men long since dead and forgotten, but whose evil lives after them. We can scarcely appreciate, in this country, the compelling force of this background. Our troubles are of the moment, of our own generation, colored by no long traditions of prejudice and racial hostility. Any practical settlement in Europe, based upon contemporary conditions, is made immeasurably harder by these unpaid balances of injury and injustice which have been outstanding for centuries. Our suggestion to Europe is to wipe the slate clean, and start over. But it is more easily said than done.

We can realize a little how hard it is to escape from the consequences of past actions, perhaps, by realizing our own position in the Philippines. Here we, too, have a subject people, the existence of which is a burden to us and of small practical value, if any. It costs us far more than we receive, and is probably a vulnerable point of attack. Yet because we spent money and lives to gain it, at a time when we thought differently about expansion than we do now, we are loath to let it go. By some obscure process, sentimental rather than logical, we remain attached to it against our own instinct and against the demand of the Filipinos. We have done the Philippines little harm and much good; we are conscious of no particular injustice to them, yet we cannot make them American and are unwilling to let them go. A similar sort of a situation, but infinitely multiplied, and infinitely complicated by every sort of racial and religious prejudice, by every sort of historic resentment and suspicion, is the background of Europe.

It would be comparatively easy for us to cut the string which holds the Philippines, for our interest there is recent and not yet clinched by the power of association and tradition. Yet it would be hard to "sell" the American public on the idea. How much harder, then to "sell" Europe the idea of wiping out her past and starting fresh! In every country there is passionate recollection of blood and treasure spent for this or that purpose in conflict with foreign races. The roots go deep into sacred memories that are the heritage of every country and people, whether evil or just in their beginnings. Serene advice from a country that has a brief and happy past, as world history goes, can make little impression against the accumulated influence of all the past wrongs and glories of twenty centuries.

Not advice, but help, is what Europe needs. Most urgently of all she needs education which will direct her thinking forward instead of back. Instead of jealously tracking a diamond stolen two hundred years ago she needs to be thinking of the peace and prosperity of her peoples 200 years hence. Our duty to civilization is not to stand aloof, criticizing the result of conditions that we scarcely know about, and understand still less, but to turn in and help to create a bridge from the dead past and troubled present to the peaceful future that we alone, unburdened by dead crimes of the past, can envision. To "pass by on the other side" is to shirk our destiny.

Political news belongs on the sport page. When it isn't a fight somebody's being scored.

Among the breaks of a ball game in Atlanta, Ga., were two fingers and one jaw.

Many statesmen are returning from Europe. It can't be helped.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

La Crosse fans will enjoy a half holiday Wednesday afternoon, August 6, for the formal opening and second game of the Northern Baseball league in this city. Mayor Ori J. Sorensen has declared a half holiday and has agreed "if his arm is in condition" to pitch the first ball in the game with Winnipeg that afternoon.

D. H. Shephardson, principal of the Lincoln school at Oshkosh, will fill the vacancy caused by the death last Friday of Principal N. S. Donaldson of the Lincoln school here. This announcement was made today by Professor L. P. Benetz.

Mrs. J. H. Harrington and daughter Harriet have left for the Pacific coast to visit relatives. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. V. Craft have returned from a month's trip to the Pacific coast.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

E. C. Higbee has purchased the boat "Nancy" from R. Withrow. The boat was built a couple of years ago for W. W. Cargill.

G. A. John and Charles Voight have purchased the Voight and Ritter Carriage Works at Second and Mount Vernon streets and will continue the business.

Mrs. Cameron and party will set sail August 23 for the United States. They have been touring Europe.

James Spaulding and wife of Melrose claim to be the oldest living couple married in La Crosse. The ceremony was performed April 10, 1853 by Rev. Farnsworth. Peter Burns, Captain Moore and other well known La Crosse pioneers were present at the ceremony.

O. Tollefson, the artistic violin maker, has accepted a position with Fred Leithold. He will make new violins and also repair old ones.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Misses Lillie and Hannah Borreson will leave tomorrow morning for Chicago to visit the World's Fair. S. Jensen is building a new store on the lot adjacent to his store on Caledonia street. It is to be occupied as a shoe store by Mr. Morkoe.

A number of the members of the Normanna Sangerkor returned from the World's Fair this morning. Among them were: John Streeter, Simon Borreson, Ed. Fremstad, Ole Lunde, Mat Lunde, M. Daglund, Siver Gundersen and Emil Berg.

Over 119,230,080 gallons of water were pumped during July by the city water works. Approximately 480 cords of slabs were burned during the month.

The fire insurance agencies of the city met yesterday and organized what will be known as the "La Crosse Local Board of Underwriters." J. L. Pettengill is president and E. R. Burke secretary and treasurer.

Tact And Kindly
Charm Outstanding
Traits Of Harding

WARREN G. HARDING brought to the presidency an infinite patience and kindness in dealing with public questions and men, which enabled him to handle the problems of government without the stress and worry which had handicapped many of his predecessors.

Whatever else historians will say of him, there probably will be little dispute that few chief executives came to office in peace time facing problems more complex in their nature or greater in number. All international affairs were unbalanced as never before, with many principal settlements of the world war still to be effected. At home the work of reconstruction had only just begun, with business depressed, agriculture prostrate and unemployment general.

With Open Mind
How Mr. Harding measured up to the task before him must be left to the historians, but his friends said that coming to the presidency as he did, with an open mind, a desire for counsel and an intimate knowledge of the processes of government acquired in his services in the senate, he was the type of man needed for the job at such a time.

Preaching upon every occasion the doctrine of Americanism, he set his face resolutely against entangling alliances. While thus adhering to what he was pleased to term the principles of the founding fathers, he nevertheless lent the moral assistance of the government in the efforts to bind up the wounds of the world.

That influence was once declared by him to be not inconsiderable, and so America, under his guidance had a part, silent though it was in the main, in effecting settlements of many vexatious world questions. Of chief contention was the Washington arms conference at which the principal powers covenanted to limit the sizes of their navies and thus lift from tax-paying peoples the burden of maintaining the race for naval supremacy.

Along with the proffer of counsel in effecting world settlements went an insistence that American rights be recognized. In polished phrase, but with a directness of expression that was not to be misconstrued, the world was given to understand from the very first of the Harding administration that the United States, freely respecting the rights of the other nations, asked for herself only that to which she was entitled in simple justice, and that she could accept nothing less.

Sure of Purpose
While in his dealings with congress, Mr. Harding preferred the role of counselor rather than dictator, he speedily removed any doubt that his gift of patience denoted any lack of purpose once he had chosen a course. Thus he told congress that "certain" bonus legislation either should carry the means of financing or be postponed, and when the legislators put aside his advice he promptly vetoed the bill they sent him.

Mr. Harding's tenacity of purpose was further exemplified in his continual pouring for economy in public expenditures and again in his insistence that congress pass the merchant marine bill with a veto to curtailing the continual drain which the operation of the war-built commercial fleet had become upon the treasury. His greatest single effort in the field of domestic legislation was in behalf of this measure.

Not infrequently Mr. Harding was called upon to play the role of peace maker in government affairs. He intervened in a dispute between congress and the treasury as to the form general tax revision was to take, and the program he approved was carried out in the main with a reduction of more than \$500,000,000 in the nation's tax burden.

Likewise, his counsel settled the long controversy between the house and senate on the question of American valuation in the tariff law. He proposed in its place a flexible tariff arrangement under which the tariff commission was given authority with its approval to increase or lower rates within prescribed limitations. Upon signing the bill, the president declared it constituted the greatest tariff reform in American history.

Proud to be Printer
Whatever his other attainments, Mr. Harding's greatest pride was in his professional accomplishments and training as printer, editor and publisher. Nor did the interests and exacting duties of his high office serve to dull his delight in pottering about a composing room on his first trip back home. After his inauguration he went to the Star office, pulled off his coat, rolled up his sleeves, borrowed a chew of tobacco and helped "make up" the paper. His luck charm was a printer's rule, carried always in a vest pocket.

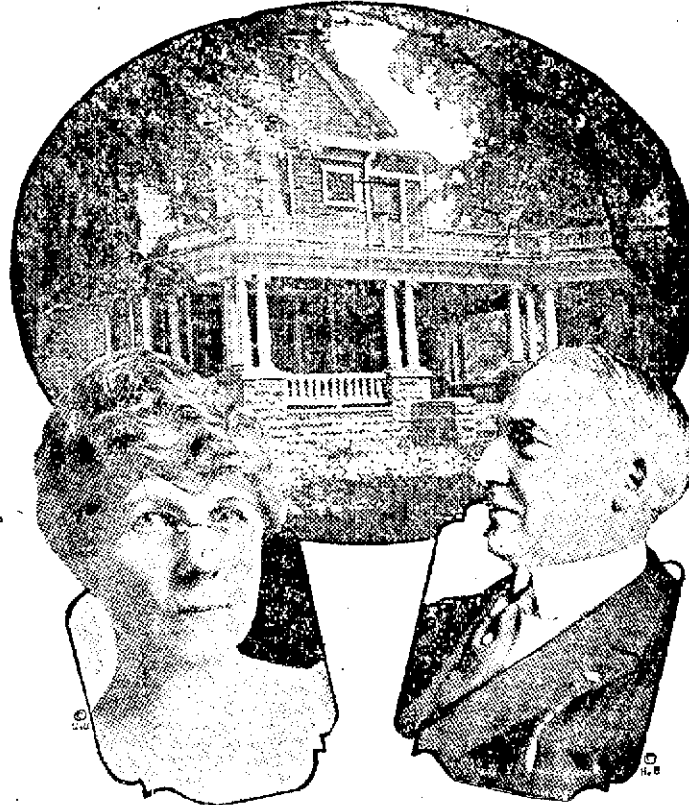
As his ambition had carried him into the ranks of publishers, so his fancy took him into the realm of politics. From the first he was an ardent partisan and his insistence upon wearing a "stove pipe" hat, the badge of support of James G. Blaine, while a reporter on a democratic newspaper, brought him a sharp reprimand from his chief, who held it to be inconsistent for a worker on a democratic paper to so prominently display the symbol of his republicanism.

Friend of McKinley
Early in his career of political service he met William McKinley, to whom his close friends have most often likened him, and with whom he had in common a predominant passion for obliteration of class and sectional lines. A friendship sprang up between the two men. Mr. Harding also was close in later days to Theodore Roosevelt, Senators Foraker and Penrose, and others high in his party councils.

The president was a lifelong Baptist and was a trustee of his home

Harding Carved Own Career

The Home At Marion



HARDING'S HOME AT MARION, O. INSETS, HARDING AND MRS. HARDING.

Harding's Life in Brief

- 1865—Born Nov. 2 on farm near Blooming Grove, Ohio.
- 1882—Graduated from Ohio Central College, Iberia, Ohio.
- 1884—Became owner and editor of Marion (O.) Daily Star.
- 1891—Married Miss Florence Kling of Marion.
- 1900—Entered Ohio State Senate.
- 1902—Started upon second term in Ohio Senate.
- 1904—Sworn in as lieutenant-governor of Ohio.
- 1910—Defeated in Ohio gubernatorial campaign.
- 1914—Elected United States senator from Ohio.
- 1920—Won republican presidential nomination and was elected over James M. Cox, democratic candidate.
- 1921—Inaugurated 29th president of the United States.
- Called world conference on disarmament.
- Put into effect governmental budget system.
- Opened fight for American ship subsidy.
- 1922—Vetoed soldier bonus bill.
- Took active part in settlement of rail and coal strikes.
- Pleaded for formation of world court.
- 1923—Assailed wet forces and practically put republican party on record as opposing any attempt to nullify the 18th amendment.
- Urged formation of consumers' co-operative organizations, under government supervision, to combat soaring prices.
- Visited western states and Alaska.
- Stricken ill at Seattle on return from Alaska trip, forced to bed at San Francisco, and remainder of trip canceled.

church in Marion. He also had been a member of the Elk and Moose fraternities for years and after his election as president he became a thirty-second degree Mason and a Shriner. Golf was his favorite recreation, but he also liked to fish, although his opportunities to that sport were limited after he came to the White House. He played hard and possessed the faculty of putting all his worries behind him during his recreation hours.

FRISCO PULLS DOWN
BUNTING AND PUTS
CREPE IN ITS PLACE

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—By The Associated Press.—San Franciscans went about their daily Friday sorrowfully, in a city differing much from that in which they had been on their homeward way Thursday night, resplendent in honor of the visit of the president, who it was believed, was well on the way to recovery.

Gone were the flags, gone was the bunting, gone the displays centering around the presidential emblem which had marked the street and larger buildings. Instead, workmen were busy hanging long black drapes and streamers, symbols of San Francisco's grief, across the fronts of the city buildings.

CANADA HALF-MASTS
FLAGS AND PEOPLE
MOURN U. S. CHIEF

VANCOUVER, B. C.—British Columbia in general and Vancouver in particular was in mourning Friday. While officialdom of this part of the world half masted flags and compiled formal messages of condolence to Mrs. Harding and to United States authorities, the plain men and women of the community talked of President Harding's death as of the passing of a comrade.

CREPE DRAPES HOTEL
WHERE HARDING DIED

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—To obtain black crepe to drape the Palace hotel in mourning, it was necessary to have the proprietor of a leading San Francisco store order the opening of the establishment at midnight. Virtually all the crepe in stock was required.

Although 160 tons of opium would supply the medical needs of all countries, the annual world production is nearly 2,000 tons.

Late President
A Self-Made Man
In Every Respect

WARREN GAMALIEL HARDING, 29th president of the United States, was in every respect a self-made man.

Like Abraham Lincoln and many of his other distinguished predecessors, he worked his way up from a little log cabin to the White House.

The story of his success reads, indeed, like a Horatio Alger or Oliver Optic novel for boys.

Born of poor parents, he put himself through college, fought an uphill battle to become a successful newspaper editor and publisher, gained leadership in politics of his home community and state, and finally attained his boyhood ambition.

For Harding, as a lad of 12, had promised his chums he some day would be the nation's chief executive.

Born in Ohio

Harding was born on his grandfather's farm, near Blooming Grove, Morrow county, Ohio, November 2, 1865.

His father, Dr. George Tyrone Harding, still living, was a country physician whose practice was so small that he was forced to work in the fields to make ends meet.

Mrs. Phoebe Elizabeth Dickerson Harding, his mother, was a home-loving, industrious woman of deep religious convictions. She professed the Adventist creed. From her Warren inherited many of the traits so characteristic of him in later life.

Both father and mother came of a long line of sturdy pioneers. Dr. Harding was of Scotch descent while his wife was of Dutch stock.

Warren was the eldest of eight children. When he was 5, the family moved to the neighboring village of Caledonia, Ohio.

At 4, he had learned to read, and was memorizing long poems. He always was anxious to "speak his piece" at neighborhood gatherings.

But he wasn't the "goody, goody" type. He could swim further and dive deeper than any of his chums at the "ol' swimmin' hole" in Whetstone creek. And it seems he could chew tobacco better than any of them.

Worked Through School

When he was 14, a lanky, ungainly youth more than six feet tall, he matriculated for an academic course at Ohio Central college in Iberia. That long since has closed its doors. Several times, when he couldn't find enough odd jobs, he was forced to quit school. But always, after something turned up, he would return to his books. He was graduated with a B. S. degree when he was 17.

For a year he taught school. Then he read law for another year. His father bought the Marion (O.) Star, then a struggling little weekly paper, at a sheriff's sale. Warren, in college, edited a school paper. He became editor of the Star, which his father presented to him.

Against great financial odds, he conducted the paper for some time. But he was forced eventually to sell it. He took a reporter's position on the Marion Mirror, but political differences with the owner resulted in his discharge.

Re-urchases Paper

Harding and Jack Warwick, now prominent in Ohio newspaper circles, later scraped together \$200 and bought the Star again. Soon after Harding took over Warwick's interest.

With the assistance of his wife, formerly Miss Florence Elizabeth Kling, whom he married in 1891 against her father's wishes, Harding transformed it into a powerful small-town daily.

Meanwhile he was dabbling in politics. In 1909 he became a state senator. He served two terms. Then he was induced into the lieutenant governor's office. In 1910 he ran for governor, but was defeated.

He rose rapidly in republican councils. In 1914 the people of his rural state sent him to the United States senate.

Six years later saw him put forth as a compromise candidate for the republican presidential nomination at the convention in Chicago. He won the nomination and rode into the White House in the republican tidal wave that swept the country six months later. James M. Cox, former governor of Ohio, was his democratic opponent.

Has Big Tasks

A mighty task confronted Warren G. Harding when he entered the White House.

America had entered upon the period of reconstruction following the greatest war in all history. It still technically was at war with Germany and Austria, although hostilities had ceased more than two years before, for no treaty had been signed between it and these nations.

There were problems of unemployment and national finance that must be attended to immediately.

Harding, with the same indomitable spirit that carried him through the storms of early life, put his shoulder to the wheel of state.

Against the advice of his personal physician, Brigadier General Charles E. Sawyer, he was at his desk for months from early in the morning until midnight. There were times even when he was still fumbling through his papers until almost day-break.

The world conference on disarmament probably will go down in history as the greatest achievement of his administration.

But Harding's fight for an American ship subsidy, for the establishment of a world court of justice, for the preservation of the 15th or prohibition amendment, for the amicable settlement of industrial differences on the railroads and in the mines will be remembered long after his name has become only a memory.

GERMAN MARK KIN TO CONFEDERATE DOLLAR IN 1865

Eating House Menu Shows Ham
and Eggs Quoted at \$15;
Cup of Coffee \$20

MENOMINEE, Mich.—A bill of fare published by the John Brewer restaurant at 10 Bank street, Petersburg, Va., in 1865, is in the possession of Leo C. Harmon, formerly of this city, whose father got possession of it during the occupation of Petersburg during the Richmond campaign, while a captain of a Minnesota regiment.

Prices on the wartime menu card ran rather high for such commonplace dishes as ham and eggs as is shown in the following scale of prices: Ham and Eggs, \$15; wild duck, \$50; partridges each, \$10; rabbits each, \$20; squirrels each, \$15; and a cup of coffee lightened the pocket book of the restaurant, \$20.

The prices were paid without a murmur and it is said that the eating place did a rushing business. The explanation of the cheerfulness of the people when they paid these prices lies in the fact that money which might be said to be the ancestor of the German mark today.

POLICE CHIEFS CONFER
VIENNA.—Police experts and criminologists from all over the world have been invited by Johann Schöber, former premier and police president, to attend the international Police Congress which is to be held in Vienna from September 2 to 7. The idea of an international congress originated in the United States, and it is expected a number of American experts will attend.

The difficulties in fighting international crime are to be discussed.

POLAND REBUILDING
WARSAW.—Fifty-two per cent of the buildings in Poland destroyed during the war have been rebuilt. The number of buildings reconstructed total 881,660.

EAU CLAIRE WINS FIGHT FOR LOWER SWITCHING RATES

MADISON, Wis.—The Eau Claire Sand and Gravel company won its fight for lower rates against the Milwaukee road with the railroad commission ordering a reduction Friday.

The company complained of switching rates for the movement of their products from loading tracks to connections with other lines.

The rates were \$7.20 per car for switching carload shipments of sand to connections with the Soo line and a charge of \$1.50 per car to connections with the Omaha or non-competitive traffic; a rate of \$1.05 per 100 pounds subject to a minimum weight of the marked capacity of the car used but not less than \$6.50 per car on competitive traffic.

The charges were found to be unreasonable by the commission and rates were authorized in lieu thereof as follows: \$3.60 per car for carloads interchanged with the Soo line and a rate of \$2.25 per carload interchanged with the Omaha at Shawtown transfer which is within the Eau Claire switching limits without restriction as to competitive or non-competitive traffic.

The new rates are to go into effect in 20 days.

Telegraphs in Uganda are not reliable, as the natives cut down the copper wire for bracelets, necklaces and leg bands.

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SUMMER SESSION AT WISCONSIN "U" ENDED ON FRIDAY

MADISON, Wis.—The University of Wisconsin summer session ends Friday after a six weeks' course. Nearly 5,000 students who have been in attendance will leave Madison.

Summer sessions are commencing to rival the regular sessions of the university here in point of attendance. During the last few years the number of students have made big jumps until now there are within 2,000 of the regular attendance.

Attractive summer surroundings bring a large percentage of the students, largely summer school teachers taking additional university work.

SNAPS CHIP OFF SPINE
SWINGING GOLF CLUB
NEW YORK.—While swinging a

golf club at Sleepy Hollow Country club last week, Samuel F. Streif, broker, snapped his spinal column. An X-ray revealed that a small particle of bone had been chipped off the spine.

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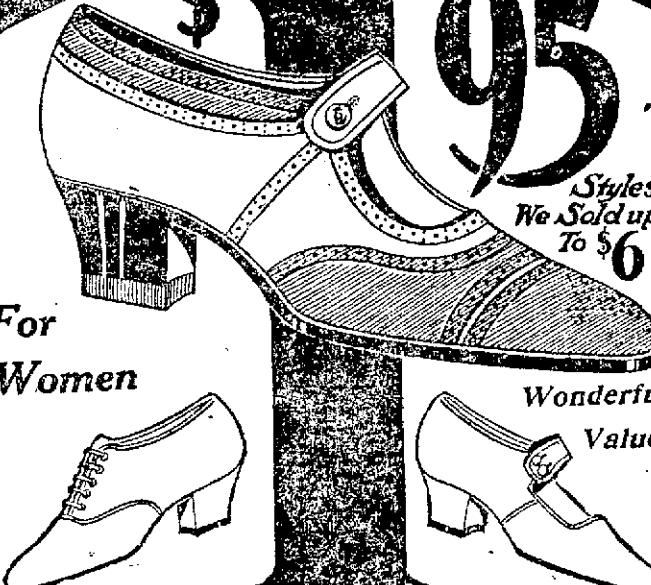
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This jewel of America's National Parks is only a few miles from Seattle and Tacoma. It has excellent and picturesque hotel accommodations; fine motor roads; mountain trails that reach across the seasons and through geologic time.

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THE WEEKS just ahead will be filled with opportunities to wear a smart suit from this group—crisp days when a suit gives warmth. Straightline twill suits with knee-length, side tie coats and other tailored models are styles which will be fashionable well into the fall. Three-piece suits and sports suits also included in this group.

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Coats Wraps Capes 1/2 PRICE

NO RESERVATIONS! All our finest garments included! The Wraps and Capes in this showing represent exceptionally fine values. Many of the wraps and capes are of deep piled gerson, full lined with crepe de chine, while others are of poiret twill. Since the garments in this group are certain to meet with great popularity an early choice is suggested.

MAIN FLOOR

SILK DRESSES at 1/2 PRICE

TOWARD THE END of summer when days get cooler a silk frock costumes one most attractively for afternoon affairs. This group includes all remaining spring and summer silk dresses, featuring pleated panels, circular tiers, and other approved styles. Many good colors — grey, tan, green, also navy and black.

MAIN FLOOR

Sweater Clearance
Important groups at
\$2.95, \$3.95, \$5, \$6.95, \$10

All the popular styles and colors. Sleeveless, Slip-on, Jacquette, Tuxedo, Golf Coat. Emphatic values!

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TRIP PLANNED TO BRING GOVERNMENT CLOSER TO PEOPLE

President Refused to Permit Injection of Political Element in Visit

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—By The Associated Press.—Warren G. Harding made the supreme sacrifice in an effort to bring the government closer to the people and the people closer to the government. The effort was not futile.

On the long and strenuous journey, which he began June 23 to achieve that purpose, personally visiting the remote sections of the country, meeting the people and learning their problems, first hand, including even those of Alaska and ultimately the canal zone, Porto Rico and the Virgin islands, he had those with him who still remain on duty in Washington, and will carry on as though their chief still stood at the helm, guiding and directing the future course of the nation.

Barred Politics

From the inception of his idea, Mr. Harding preserved the objective and steadfastly refused to permit those who would inject any element of politics into his visit to the country or the declared purposes for which he set out from Washington. At one time, when the plans for the then proposed journey were under consideration at the white house, he definitely announced that if the trip was to be made political in any degree, he would give up his idea and stay in Washington.

To serve his fixed intention to bring the government and people into closer contact, Mr. Harding invited those of his cabinet officials, whose departments were most concerned with the problems of the country, to be his guests. Secretary Hoover, of commerce; Work, of the interior; Wallace, of agriculture, accepted the invitation. Then to extend still further the knowledge of Washington, he drafted Frederick H. Gillett, speaker of the house of representatives—the man under whose gavel legislation is enacted for the nation and money for its needs is appropriated.

Worked As They Traveled

The cabinet officers, Speaker Gillett and the president worked as they traveled. Information was sought and obtained and studied as the journey proceeded. In Alaska as well as the states traversed by the party during its travels across the continent, conferences with local representatives were held almost at every stop. No problem was insignificant. No question was considered too local for the attention of the president and his aides.

A woman in a small Alaskan village told Mr. Harding through his cabinet officers that there was need in that section of the Northland for a doctor. Her plea was heard. The president said the government would station a medical officer within reach of the inhabitants there. Other instances of his anxiety over local problems never before revealed so directly by a president to those of the Alaskan citizenships affected, won for Mr. Harding an affectionate place in the hearts of the people he visited and for whose welfare he labored.

Addreses Secondary

Almost as a secondary relationship to the journey he was making, did Mr. Harding treat his more important addresses and the subjects they dealt with. With the possible exception of his Denver speech on national prohibition, that at St. Louis on the court of international justice and that at Seattle, when he reported to the American people on his studies of conditions in Alaska, the president was more concerned with the peoples' problems than with his own. The visit to Vancouver, B. C., had its purpose. It was strictly in line with the president's main objective in the visits made within American boundaries, to know the people and be known for the mutual good of both the localities reached and the Washington government. The Canadians responded to Mr. Harding's plea made at Vancouver in the interest of amity and better understanding. Their reception of Mr. Harding and enthusiasm over his visit was equal to that manifested by any American audience.

Tragedy Hovered Over Party

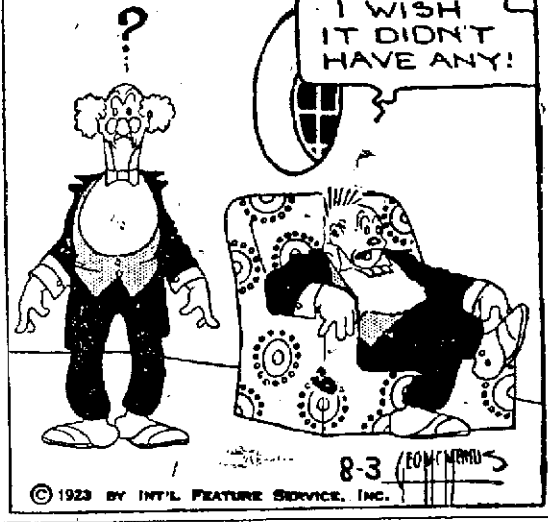
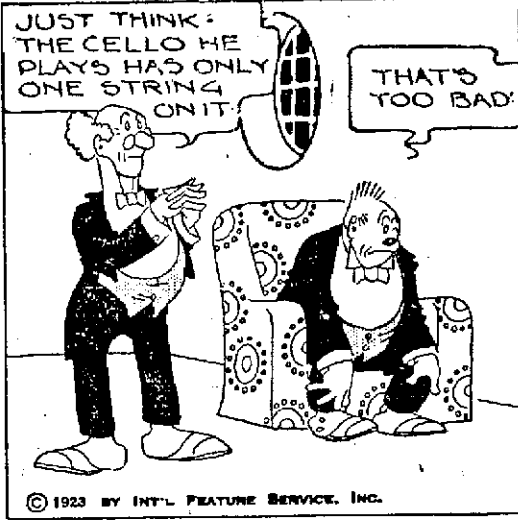
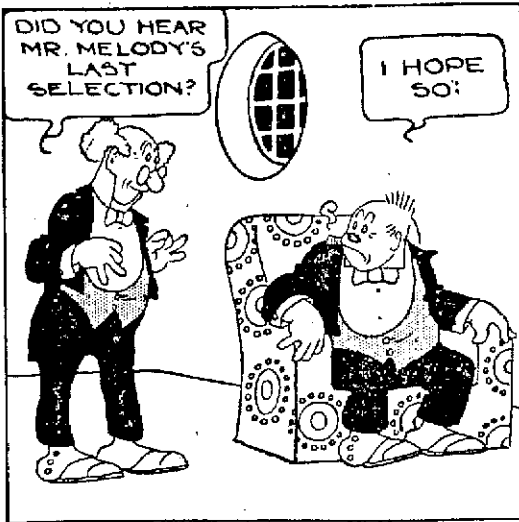
The president's death overshadowed all the other disasters which attended the trip from Washington. The first tragedy which brought sorrow to him and Mrs. Harding occurred at Denver. It resulted in the death of three persons, one an intimate friend and member of his immediate party, and was caused by an automobile crash into Ever Creek Canyon on the highway on which the passengers were traveling through the mountain park system.

The next cloud to cast shadows across the line of travel was the threatened illness of Mrs. Harding in Fairbanks, Alaska. She had become fatigued from the journey north and required medical attention for several days before the doctors in attendance were satisfied that danger had passed. Then came the collision between the navy transport Henderson and the destroyer Zolten, returning with the president and Mrs. Harding from Sitka, the last stop made in Alaska. The destroyer was seriously damaged, and loss of life was narrowly averted.

AMERICAN LEGION EXCURSION TO BE GIVEN ON FRIDAY

The moonlight excursion sponsored by the Roy L. Vickers post of the American Legion will be given Friday night on the new steamer Capitol. The American Legion band will share in the proceeds of the excursion. The band will play several selections on the streets and at the levee before the excursion leaves. Tony's famous Iowan band will furnish the music for the dancing.

BRINGING UP FATHER



HARDING'S BODY MAY BE TAKEN TO WHITE HOUSE

To Lie in State Where Martyred Lincoln and McKinley Lay

WASHINGTON, D. C.—By The Associated Press.—If precedent is followed and Mrs. Harding desires to have Mr. Harding's body taken to the White House before it goes to the capitol to lie in state under the great dome, the casket will be placed in the same spot where lay the bodies of Lincoln and McKinley. The body of Secretary Gresham of the state department also lay there.

Thousands of Americans will remember the great crystal chandelier with its myriads of cut glass pieces and electric bulbs and the rich but somberly decorated walls with the portraits of former presidents looking down on them. It is probable that none but the most intimate friends and members of the official family and members of the diplomatic corps will be admitted there. The White House grounds will be closed. At the capitol, the entafaque will be placed on the spot where reposed the remains of Lincoln, Garfield, McKinley and America's unknown soldier. It was less than two years ago that the president and Mrs. Harding went over the same spot, laying a wreath in homage to the nation's heroic dead.

TWO CARS COLLIDE AT SIXTH AND KING STREETS THURSDAY

The automobiles of Fred Carlton and Mrs. Fred Hasselbusch, 1132 Charles street, collided at the intersection of Sixth and King streets at 9:30 Thursday night. Passengers of both machines escaped injury. Carlton was driving east on King street, while Mrs. Hasselbusch was proceeding south on Sixth. Carlton agreed to settle for the damages.

VICE WAR FUND IS VOTED BY COUNTY BOARD THURSDAY

(Continued from page one) data on the question and the appropriation was unanimously voted. Seventy-eight persons will become deputy sheriffs and will be empowered to enforce traffic laws on the highways in the county, outside of the city of La Crosse, as a result of the adoption of the plan suggested at the morning session by members of the La Crosse Automobile association. Those who will be deputized will be supervisors, the highway commissioner and his assistant, highway patrolmen, the two La Crosse motorcycle policemen, former of road crews and certain members of the La Crosse Automobile association. The deputy sheriffs will be sworn in and given stars shortly. The state law provides that county officers, employees and others so deputized shall not accept fines or bail from those arrested for road offenses, but must take the person or persons arrested to a justice of the peace or judge.

Clocks in Court House

The board authorized the building and grounds committee to rent Western Union clocks for various court house offices. Seven thousand dollars was voted to be added to a similar amount already voted by the town of Onaska for replacing the Erie Prairie and New Amsterdam roads. Two thousand dollars were appropriated to extend the "white way" light around the court house square. The supervisors also ordered that suitable be made at the corner of Fourth and State streets, corner serving parking space for the automobiles of the sheriff and undersheriff and his officers.

Road Situation Grave

Chairman Davis then addressed the board on the county and state road situation. "Highway work must be carried as much as possible for the next year," he said. "The failure of the legislature to pass bills that will raise enough money for the county but when possible will be raised by the graduated license fees for passenger automobiles and trucks but it will not be enough. One source of considerable revenue would have been the gasoline tax, but the governor vetoed it. The state will lose about \$2,500,000 in federal aid this year because there will not be enough state money available to meet the federal allotment. The gasoline tax bill would have offered relief from taxation but the governor saw fit to veto it. Supervisor Val Keppel of Hoimer suggested that a memorial be prepared and sent to the governor requesting the calling of a special session of the legislature to give the taxpayers some relief from excessive taxation. The board approved this and the legislative and ways and means committees will draft a memorial and forward it to Governor Blaine.

DRUNK WANDERS THROUGH HOUSE TWICE; FINED

Marcus Stelstad had the "wandering blues" Thursday night. Looking from his office window, Chief Webber noticed a man proceeding past the city hall, taking up the entire sidewalk. He sensed what was wrong and straightway sent an officer out to bring in the man. The officer was unable to find him, but in the meantime Central station had several calls from the residence at 512 Pine street.

Here the "wanderer", who turned out to be Marcus Stelstad, had made two laps through the house, from front door to back, before he was halted by Officer Routhaupt. Marcus then took a straighter course which led to Central police station. He wound up in police court Friday with a tax of \$7.50 for intoxication.

CAPITAL STUNNED BY NEWS OF DEATH OF THE PRESIDENT

(Continued from page one) Mellon and Davis in Europe, to Secretary Weeks on his New Hampshire farm, to Secretary Denby in Michigan and to Chief Justice Taft in Canada. Secretary Taft is among the physicians who were at President Harding's bedside, and Secretaries Hoover and Wallace also were with the presidential party. Secretary Hughes also took steps to see that formal notification reached Vice President Coolidge.

Mr. Hughes received the first news of what had happened however, from the press wires relayed to him at his summer home. He came immediately to his office at the state department to do what must be done that the affairs of the nation should move forward in orderly fashion.

Colors Are Lowered He was in his office long after midnight and despatches went out to American ambassadors and ministers and consular officers everywhere that today brought the stars and stripes to half mast over the world. Similar word was sent also to army and navy posts and ships everywhere that their colors should be lowered in mourning for the dead commander-in-chief.

Very few senators or members of the house were in Washington. Some of these failed to hear of President Harding's death until after daylight. To others, however, the ill tidings seemed to have been spread by the wind as they besieged newspaper offices with inquiries. Extra papers had carried a brief notice widely over the city and far-reaching whirlpools of rumor spread beyond as the night wore on. On the downtown streets, however, the word came after theatre crowds had gone home and only a few scattered knots of folks about the newspaper offices talking in hushed voices, denoted that a tragedy that meant much in Washington had occurred.

There was widespread speculation as to whether a special session of congress would be one of the results of the change at the white house. Apparently there is no legal requirement necessitating such a course, and unless President Coolidge calls congress before the December session there can be no congressional action in tribute to President Harding before that time, beyond the lowering of the flags that float above the capitol and the office buildings.

Word of the president's death found the white house offices torn up in the summer repair work made possible by the long journey of the chief executive. The floors of the president's office are being renewed and at present a skeleton frame of work of boards alone gives footway. The adjoining offices also are dismantled for re-decorating. President Coolidge probably will take up his official duties in his offices in the senate office building until the work can be completed.

In the executive mansion itself, the summer overhauling has been less extensive. The heating plant has been dismantled but a working force was rushed on the task of restoring it that the building may be ready as soon as possible for occupancy.

Through the night the complete staff of white house attaches summoned when the first flash came from San Francisco, were toiling with the endless official messages that must be sent and received. Immediate word also went out to Boston to send a secret service guard to take up the vigil about the new president.

OBITUARY

WILLIAM E. GRALTON Word was received Friday of the death of William E. Gralton, former resident of La Crosse, at his home in Chicago. Mr. Gralton was a brother-in-law of Mrs. M. T. Gallagher, Mrs. E. McHugh, Mrs. C. Shields and Mrs. John C. Burns. His wife was Alice and he had four children, William J. Marie, Glen G. and Paul A. Gralton.

PROMINENT CITIZENS MOURN THE PASSING OF WARREN HARDING

Loss Cannot be Over-estimated. Says Taft; Blow to World, Declares Herrick

MURRAY BAY, Quebec.—The loss of President Harding cannot be over-estimated, Chief Justice William Howard Taft, former president, declared on Friday.

Held Confidence of People PARIS.—When informed of President Harding's death, Col. Edward M. House said: "I share deeply the grief of every American who knew President Harding. He was a kindly, lovable character and held the confidence and affection of all our people."

Davis Coming Back

LONDON.—By the Associated Press.—The death of President Harding has caused James J. Davis, American secretary of labor, to cancel his trip through Wales, which was to have included an official reception at Cardiff Friday. He will return home by a fast steamer.

Secretary Davis paid tribute to Mr. Harding as the president who handled greater problems than any predecessor in the white house.

World Disaster—Herrick

PARIS.—By the Associated Press.—Myron T. Herrick, American ambassador to France, when told of President Harding's death, said: "President Harding's death comes as another shock and a crushing blow to an over-tired and nervous world. It is a disaster of the first magnitude."

"I have known Mr. Harding for a long time. He was big hearted, with a good brain, and he grew constantly stronger in office. His death is a loss to the whole world."

Victim of System Says Hays

NEW YORK.—President Harding was another victim of the cruel system surrounding and controlling the office of the chief executive, declared Will H. Hays, the man, who as chairman of the republican national committee in 1920, sent Mr. Harding to the white house.

Mellon to Return

PARIS.—By The Associated Press.—Andrew W. Mellon, American secretary of the treasury said Friday President Harding's death had greatly changed his plans. He would return to Washington at once. He paid the president a most affectionate tribute.

Didn't Spare Himself

DETROIT, Mich.—President Harding died because he would not spare himself in working for his country, Secretary of the Navy Edwin Denby said today.

"I can think of nothing at present except the loss of a dear friend and chief," he declared. "Mr. Harding will be mourned as a gentleman, a loyal spirit and a president of great ability."

Country First With Him

NAHANT, Mass.—Senator Lodge, in a statement Friday said: "In the clearness of vision which death brings, Mr. Harding's really great achievements as president, both abroad and at home, will be understood and given the high place which will belong to them in history. With him and in every thought his country always came first."

Gave Himself Says Hoover

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—By The Associated Press.—President Harding's collapse was ascribed by Secretary Hoover in a statement today to his "generous and unselfish" outpouring of service and the application at all times of "geniality and good will to his tremendous tasks."

Loss Irreparable—Johnson

WASHINGTON, D. C.—By The Associated Press.—Senator Hiram Johnson of California issued a statement declaring the nation had suffered an "irreparable loss" in the death of President Harding. "His lovable and high qualities endeared him to all who were privileged to know him, and enshrined him in the hearts of the whole people," said Mr. Johnson.

HARDING'S DEATH THROWS POLITICAL SITUATION INTO CHAOS FOR REPUBLICANS

(Continued from page one) ments that Mr. Harding should make an announcement. Mr. Harding's renomination, they considered certain if he wanted it, election, they told him, would, of course, be affected by intervening time.

JUST THINK: THE CELLO HE PLAYS HAS ONLY ONE STRING ON IT

Following that declaration the president was an avowed candidate for renomination and election and within a few days of his departure from Washington he told a friend that barring some unexpected developments, he expected to be renominated and re-elected.

"Unless something unforeseen comes up," he said, "such as a disastrous business panic, a period of great depression or something of that sort, I don't see anything that will prevent my renomination and reelection."

Must Have Harding Man

The leaders still feel they must go before the country with an endorsement of the accomplishments of the Harding administration. The best informed feel they will most likely choose to do it with some member of that administration; some one who had stood close to and for the Harding policies.

When late Tom Platt made Theodore Roosevelt a vice president with the openly announced purpose of putting him out of the way, he was told by a friend: "You are making a mistake. You must have a Harding man."

When the leaders collapsed and Harding shot through a winner, Coolidge was still a sign of a man, but not among the delegates. The party leaders placed in nomination for the vice presidency, Senator Lenox of Wisconsin. But the delegates remembered Coolidge and forced his nomination. They recalled his record as governor of Massachusetts and as lieutenant governor of New York.

DEATH COMES AS RESULT OF BRAIN STROKE

(Continued from page one) she could stand up under the grief that here down upon her as the sad journey back to Washington is made was another question. "Those who know her best say that she will."

Leave for East Tonight

When dawn crept over the mountains and lighered up the Golden Gate this morning almost all of the arrangements for this trip—the saddest trans-continental journey in the history of the nation—had been made. The trip will be started about 7 o'clock Friday evening and should end in Washington Tuesday morning.

From that point the arrangements have not been definitely made but it is expected that the body will lie in state in the rotunda of the capitol where a sorrowing people have often times before paid their last respects to their leaders and the heroes they have loved.

The burial will be at Marion, O., the small Ohio city which Warren G. Harding made known around the world because there from poor and humble surroundings he struggled upward until the American people awarded him the highest gift and paid him the greatest honor within their power to bestow, President Harding was a man who loved "the home folks," and if he had had time to leave a parting word it undoubtedly would have contained instructions that he be buried in the town that knew him as "Warren," and where he called most everyone by their first names.

The trip across the continent will be made on the same train that carried the chief executive, a well, happy and hopeful man, to the Pacific coast. Its route will take it through Reno, Ogden, Cheyenne, Omaha, Chicago and thence to Washington. It will make no stops except to change engines and for other operating purposes.

High Honors Paid

The body of the president will be accompanied by the same party that accompanied the executive when he left Washington June 20, with the addition of Attorney General Daugherty, General Pershing and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rensberg and family of Santa Ana, Calif., Mrs. Rensberg being a sister of Mr. Harding.

Naval and military honors will be paid the dead commander by the army and navy throughout the whole trip. Two soldiers and two sailors, members of the guard of honor of sixteen enlisted men and two officers, will stand at attention beside the casket. The car bearing the body will be lighted at night and the whole train probably will be draped in black.

The body of the president lay today in the room in which he suffered and died. It will remain there until taken to the train and just before that is done the very simplest private service will be held.

BRITISH QUEEN MOTHER EXPRESSES SYMPATHY

LONDON.—By The Associated Press.—Queen-mother Alexandra sent Mrs. Harding this message: "I offer you my heartfelt sympathy in the great sorrow which has befallen you and that of the American people in the loss of their beloved and distinguished president."

MOTORBIKE KILLS PRIZE WOLF HOUND OF MISS M'WITHEE

Chang, prize Russian wolfhound, and owned by Miss May McWhithee, 627 State street, was run down and killed by a speeding motorcycle rider, at Ninth and Main streets, about 6:30 p. m., Thursday. The motorbike sped away after the accident and the identity of the driver was not learned. The wolfhound although standing nearly as tall as a Shetland pony, was only a pup. He was a great favorite among the children in the vicinity of Seventh and State streets.

NEW EXECUTIVE SWORN IN BY FATHER AT 2:47

(Continued from page one) over to Rutland and take the 9:35 train, due in New York at 5 p. m. Secretary Wires Coolidge

A messenger who had hastened here from Bridgewater, the nearest telegraph office, brought word of the president's death to Mr. Coolidge in a telegram from George B. Christian, Jr., the president's secretary.

Mr. Coolidge's father, John C. Coolidge, received the message shortly before midnight and took it upstairs where he read it to the vice president, who was in bed. Mr. Coolidge quickly dressed in a suit of black and came downstairs, followed soon by Mrs. Coolidge. Shocked by the news, but outwardly showing his accustomed calm, he dictated two brief statements to his secretary and then distributed copies to the newspapermen who had gathered in the living room.

Carry Out Harding Plans

President Coolidge issued the following statement on Friday: "Reports have reached me, which I fear are correct, that President Harding is gone. The world has lost a great and good man. I mourn his loss, as does my chief and my friend. It will be my purpose to carry out the policies which he has begun for the service of the American people and for meeting their responsibilities wherever they may arise. For this purpose I shall seek the cooperation of all those who have been associated with the president during his term of office.

Those who have given their efforts to meet him, I wish to remain in office that they may assist me. I have faith that God will direct the destinies of our nation."

The new president was apprised of the death of Mr. Harding at midnight by newspaper correspondents, John C. Coolidge, father of the president, received them at the door in his night clothes.

The president and Mrs. Coolidge retired, but came downstairs into the sitting room of the Coolidge home. Mr. Coolidge was very pale, but showed no emotion, other than a deep regret for his predecessor's death. He seated himself at a table while Mrs. Coolidge brought a lamp and read the telegrams he had received. He then called his assistant secretary and dictated his last statement and the telegram to Mrs. Harding.

Defers to Mrs. Harding

TROY, N. Y.—President Harding, on his arrival here declined to make a statement as to his future plans which he said would be held in abeyance until his arrival in Washington.

He let it be known that the wishes of Mrs. Harding would largely govern his immediate course.

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FOUR DIVORCES ARE GRANTED THURSDAY IN CIRCUIT COURT

Four Other Cases are Held Over for Various Reasons; Some Alimony Not Paid

FOUR divorces were granted by Judge Higbee in the closing hours of the two-day session of circuit court on Thursday.

Jesse D. Howard was granted a divorce from Edna L. Howard, on grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. Hazel Anderson was given a divorce from Andrew J. Anderson Mrs. Anderson charges her husband with cruel and inhuman treatment.

Second Divorce Granted

A second divorce was granted to Josephine Jensen from Albert Jensen. The first divorce was granted in 1903 by Judge F. A. T. who died shortly thereafter. At the time of the granting of the divorce, the clerk of the court was ill and no record of the minutes of the court in the Jensen case were entered. Judge Higbee granted another divorce in order to clear up the records in the case.

Mrs. Emma Veir was granted a divorce from Edward Veir on grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. Mrs. Maxine Johnson appeared in circuit court in her divorce proceedings against her husband, Robert Johnson. The court held that an application should be made to set aside a contract entered into between Mr. and Mrs. Johnson for permanent alimony. William Kundy was called as a witness to establish length of residence of Mrs. Johnson in the city.

Kundy Told to Pay Up

After Kundy had testified, the court was given a letter sent to the court reporter by Kundy's father-in-law in which he complained that Kundy was in arrears in his payments for the support of his children, awarded to the grandparents as a result of the divorce granted in their case. The court informed Kundy that he should make his payments promptly.

When the case of Mrs. Maud Talstad against Henry Talstad was called, the court announced that Talstad was in arrears in his alimony payments and that the divorce case would not be heard until Talstad had paid up.

In the case of Wilma Brown against William Brown, the court held the divorce case over, pending a report on the case from divorce counsel. The case of Louise Cook against Frank Cook was also held over for the same reason.

WHITFIELD TRIAL HALTS

CLEVELAND, O.—The trial of John L. Whitfield for the murder of Patrolman Dennis Griffin was postponed Friday until Monday on account of the death of President Harding.

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FARMER COMING INTO "HIS OWN" EXPERT ASSERTS

Wheat Price Situation Only Temporary Declares Kansan

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—The farmer is coming out of the slough of despair and his gross income this year will be "greater than any time since the deflation of three years ago," Dr. Henry J. Waters, editor of the weekly Kansas City Star, said in an address Thursday. Dr. Waters is nationally known as an authority on agriculture.

The recent break in the price of wheat, said Dr. Waters, "has taken away all hope the farmer had of a better turn in affairs. But the wheat price situation is only temporary. As soon as the farmer will grow less wheat conditions now, showing the present slump in the price of wheat, are better than they were a year ago. And they were better than they were before."

Meyer Says Betterment

CHICAGO—Agriculture in the mid-west is in better condition financially than is indicated by a cursory observation of political campaign speeches, Director Eugene Meyer, Jr., of the war finance corporation, declared today following a conference here with representatives of the corporation from ten agricultural states.

Reports of the loan agents, he said, indicate "a steady improvement in the agricultural and banking conditions all over the territory, except the areas devoted more or less exclusively to the production of wheat."

Astronomers are still trying to determine the date of Stonehenge. It is probable that 1840 B. C. is an approximation. The error plus or minus might be 200 years so that the actual date is probably not earlier than 2040 B. C. or later than 1640 B. C.

FUNDS FOR RESEARCH IN MATHEMATICS TO BE SOUGHT IN U. S.

MADISON, Wis.—A nation wide drive to raise an endowment of \$100,000 with which to continue research work commenced by the American Mathematical society, is being planned according to Prof. Arnold Dresden, associate professor of mathematics at the University of Wisconsin, a member of the committee in charge.

"Few people realize how many of the great advancements of the generation are based upon mathematics," Prof. Dresden declared. "What we are doing now not only affects present but continues over a long period of years."

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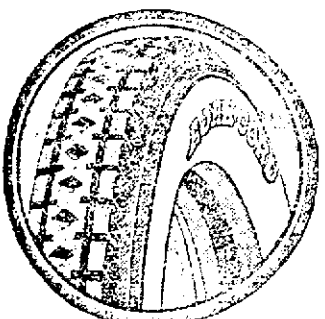
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CURE FOR CANCER NOT YET REALITY DECLARES MAYO

Rochester Physician Returns
from Two Months' Tour
Through Europe

NEW YORK—Returning from a two months' trip abroad, during which he received honorary degrees from the University of Dublin and the University of Leeds, Dr. William J. Mayo of Rochester, Minn., arrived Thursday on the Adriatic.

Speaking of the findings of the international surgical congress, Dr. Mayo said he learned many things from the surgical problems under discussion. While he admitted nothing definitely new had been discovered, there had been a general re-alignment of ideas which was decidedly helpful. The war brought many medical and surgical developments, he said. Now these have been brought to a common center, where medical men can be brought into direct touch with them.

Dr. Mayo was asked if the congress had shown a cure for cancer. He shook his head dubiously and answered "No."

"But," he said, "I was present at some experiments in Liverpool which are very, very promising. I am not saying a cure has been found, but I hold the results obtained in recent experiments are promising indeed."

New Diabetes Treatment
Following close on the discovery of insulin, which made 1923 memorable in the medical world, announcement was made Thursday afternoon of a second remedy for diabetes. In Beth Israel hospital, Dr. Max Kahn read before an assembly of physicians and nurses an account of the successful results he has obtained with this new remedy, "intarvin."

The new remedy is an "intermediate fat," which, it is explained, permits the diabetic to build up strength and weight without introducing the deadly sugar into his blood. Sugar in the blood is actually lessened, according to Dr. Kahn.

RETAIL MERCHANTS OF 38 STATES TO HOLD COUNCIL
CHICAGO—Fourteen hundred retail merchants from 38 states and Canada are expected to attend the fourth semi-annual meeting of the Interstate Merchants' Council here, August 7-8.

An elaborate educational and entertainment program is being arranged. Addresses will be delivered.

MEN'S, WOMEN'S and
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AT SPURGEON'S

President's Physicians



These are the physicians who attended President Harding in San Francisco. Left, Dr. Joel T. Boone, U. S. N., assistant to Brig. Gen. Chas. E. Sawyer (center), Harding's personal physician; right, Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, president of Stanford University and former president of the American Medical Association.

Dr. Carl M. Johnson, Rush City, Minn., president of the Minnesota State Fair association; R. M. Hudson, U. S. department of commerce, representing Herbert Hoover, and Fannie Arms, educational director of one of Chicago's large retail stores.

Foreigners in Shanghai, fearing Chinese will get a bad impression of the morals of western women, are advocating movie censorship.



Have You
Seen the New
Buick?

EIGHT MADE DIVISION LINE IN HOTEL WORK
MADISON, Wis.—The industrial commission has adopted an order effective September 1, 1923, fixing the division line between day and night for women in restaurants at 8 p. m. instead of 6:30 p. m. Eight p. m.

is the division line prescribed by statute, but heretofore the statute has stood amended by the commission's order fixing 6:30 p. m. The reason for the change is that the old division line cut into the evening meal period and it was very inconvenient to change shifts at that time.

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Men's Union Suits

Men's Mesh Knit Summer Union Suits, short sleeves, ankle length, sizes 36 to 42, regular \$1.00 suits at—

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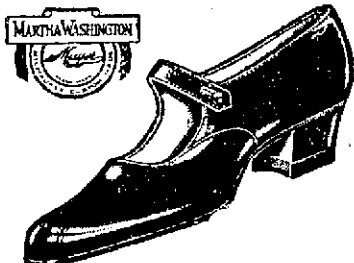
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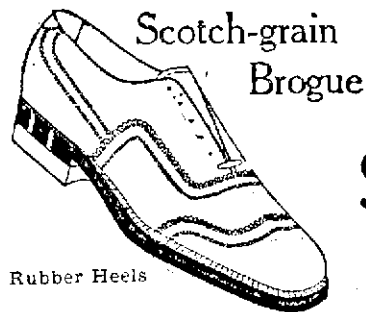
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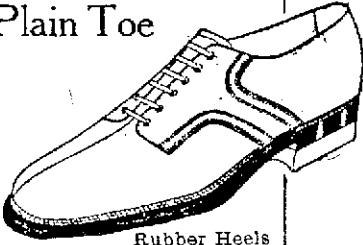
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LONDON—(A. P.)—Europeans entertain curious notions about life in the United States. Many of them get their impressions from American moving pictures, which feature train robberies, bank hold-ups, social scandals, shooting affrays, exciting automobile episodes, and other equally sensational things.

"From personal observation of Americans films in British cinemas," says a writer in the London Evening News, "we reach the conclusion that America is a large country entirely surrounded by sin and sentiment. It is inhabited in the east by unscrupulous, but enormously successful, business men, who devote their nights to squandering in cabarets their ill-gotten gains of the day before. In the west the bad men rob stage-coaches and banks, shoot sheriffs and their partners in crime, and spend a good deal of time rolling on the ground in attempts to gouge each other's eyes out."

"The north is peopled by bearded scoundrels, who go there to escape from the law, to steal mining claims, and to menace lonely girls snowbound in log cabins. The south is notable for cañon, sand, and half-breeds. The last-named are no particular vice. They are just bad."

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"America must be an awfully interesting place to live in; only few of us invertebrate Britons could stand the strain of such an exciting life. It isn't so much the amount of work the Americans do as the suddenness with which they do things, that must tell on them in time. Fortunes are made and homes ruined in America on the screen in less time than the average Englishman takes to eat his breakfast."

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OCOONTO COUPLE KEEP WEDDING SECRET YEAR
OCOONTO, Wis.—Several secret marriages of prominent Oconto young people were revealed during the last few days. A shower was held for Miss Marie Reed at the home of Charles Seipold. When the guests were assembled the marriage of Miss Reed to Dyer Holyoke in June, 1922, was announced. The marriage was solemnized in Menominee, Mich. The second was the marriage of Charles Fisher and Miss Lorraine Grady on June 5 at Menominee. The

third was the marriage of Miss Adeline Paulds and Jacob Karban at Menominee on July 10. The last was that of Miss Agnes Dagen to Edward Erdman at Menominee on June 2.

FOUND DEAD IN WOODS
CHANNING, Mich.—George Cucull, 32 years old, former service man, was found dead six miles from his home by companions who went with him to spend the day in the woods. He was gassed in the world war and also lost an arm.



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33 x 4½ Cord	28.50	3.50
34 x 4½ Cord	28.95	3.65
36 x 4½ Cord	29.75	3.85
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HOYT TURNS BACK CLEVELAND, 4 TO 2

Speaker's Indians Humbled by Yankees in Second of the Series

SENATORS TAKE BOTH GAMES OF DOUBLE FROM BROWNS

Bunched Hitting Gives Sox Win Over Red Hose, 9 to 5

NEW YORK.—The New York Yankees bunched hits to good advantage here on Thursday and defeated Cleveland in the second game of the series, 4 to 2. Hoyt yielded only six hits, but regained his effectiveness after a base on balls and two hits, and retired Lutzke and Brower on pop flies. The Yankees hit two Cleveland pitchers for thirteen hits. The score: R H E Cleveland . . . 000 100 001—2 6 0 New York . . . 102 001 00—4 13 0 Batteries—Edwards, Shaute and Myatt; Hoyt and Sching.

Senators, 5-2; Browns, 0-1. WASHINGTON, D. C.—(A. P.)—Washington took both games of a double header from St. Louis on Thursday, winning the first, 5 to 0, and the second, 2 to 1. Albin Knepper, who pitched last night, held St. Louis to six hits in the first. The last out of the first game was called by umpire Cunniff after Manager Bush of Washington had protested that Gertie, who had just reached first, had been batting out of turn. Washington won the second contest in the ninth inning, Evans singled with one out and after Goshall had fired out Rube, Ruel and Harp singled in succession. The score: R H E St. Louis . . . 000 000 000—0 6 2 Washington . . . 100 010 00—5 9 1 Batteries—Shoeless, Pratt, Root and Severid; Mitchell and Ruel.

Sox, 9; Red Sox, 5. BOSTON, Pa.—Bunched hitting against Murray and Fullerton gave Chicago a 5 to 3 victory over Boston on Thursday. Fieber was knocked out of the box in the sixth inning, when Boston made all its runs, but Chicago was effective as a relief man. The hitting and fielding of St. Collins and Kamm were features. The score: R H E Chicago . . . 025 100 312—5 12 0 Boston . . . 000 001 000—3 9 2 Batteries—Fieber, Czengros and Schalk; Fullerton, Murray and Walters.

Tigers, 6; Macks, 5. PHILADELPHIA.—(A. P.)—Detroit took the opening game of the series with Philadelphia on Thursday, 6 to 5, extending the home team's losing streak to eleven in a row. A thrilling rally in the last inning, when Allice fell fly at home, the count by one run, the bases being filled when Haney threw out Elvey for the third out. Detroit had a total of twenty-two assists. The score: R H E Detroit . . . 000 010 306—6 11 2 Philadelphia . . . 000 001 002—5 12 2 Batteries—Pittette, Cole, Bous and Eusker; Naylor, Wolf and Perkins.

ONALASKA SHOE PITCHERS LACE STREET CAR MEN

Onalaska business men, horseshoe players of the first order, came down to the city railway station Thursday and carried away honors in three series of games from the utility men. E. H. Koney and W. H. Kenyon of Onalaska, won two straight from McGreor and Franklin, 21 to 17 and 21 to 15. Skogan and Dahlby, of Onalaska, won a pair from Sieger and Harder 21 to 17 and 21 to 8. Daly and Deyo, of the utility, won two out of three from Dr. Mecum and A. E. Smith of Onalaska, 21 to 14, 19 to 22 and 21 to 16. C. L. Hedges, superintendent of the city railway, entertained the Onalaska men at a smoker at his residence following the games. Mr. Hedges expects to bring the Spring Valley, Minn. team here within a short time.

FORDS REQUESTED TO "PARK" AT GARAGE 10 O'CLOCK SUNDAY

All members of the Dahl's Fords baseball team are requested to meet at the Ford garage at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. The Fords go to Spring Grove Sunday where they expect to encounter one of the stiffest teams they have met this year. The locals won from the Minnesota aggregation a month ago, 5 to 2, it being the only game in which the Fords have not scored nine or more runs. Solie will again attempt to baffle the Fords from the mound, while Groth will fling for the Fords.

WARN FARMER TO LEAVE GRAVES DUG ON FARM. FOND DU LAC, Wis.—Walter Justann, Theresa farmer, Thursday received a letter threatening himself, wife and daughter, with death unless they left their farm. They found three empty graves dug mysteriously near the house. An appeal has been made to postal authorities. The death threat was written in German and sent through the Theresa post office.

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MINNEAPOLIS MAN TO HURL FOR BLAIR AGAINST NELSONS IN BATTLE HERE ON SUNDAY

AFTER a week's rest due to weather conditions the La Crosse Nelsons will do battle with the hard-hitting Blair aggregation here Sunday afternoon.

As a special feature before and during the game, the Westby band, which leads a huge community picnic from that city to La Crosse, will furnish music. The band will occupy the reserved seat section of the grandstand. The feature is the first of its kind this season and should be an added drawing card. In a long distance conversation with Blair manager Friday morning it was announced that Carter, a Minneapolis man playing under an assumed name, would hunt for the visitors here, with Left Franzini, formerly of the Montagues, catching. Fitzke, whom the Winonas claim they have signed, will also be in the blue Blair uniform Sunday. He will occupy one of the garden positions. Benrud's injury is still keeping him from active duty but the substitution of Franzini will add some local interest to the game. The remainder of the Blair lineup will be unchanged for Sunday's game, it was said. Warren Smith, president of the Nelson board, today announced that the hurling staff of the local club had been cut down to one man. Stromwell being retained. "We are not in a position financially to keep more than one pitcher at the present time," said Smith. Asked where Bena and Stanley were expected to locate, Mr. Smith was unable to say. Bena, however, hinted that he had a proposition pending at Green Bay. If he cannot locate in this section, Stanley will return to northern Indiana, where he worked last season. The La Crosse Nelsons are playing the Red Sox at Reelsburg August 15, for a \$400 purse, it was announced today.

WALKER EXHAUSTED AFTER SWIM ACROSS ERIE IN 24 HOURS

Legs Partially and Temporarily Paralyzed; "Never Again", He Says

LORAIN, Ohio.—Corbis A. Walker, Cleveland Central Y. M. C. A. swimmer, landed at Lorain at 5:30 a. m. Thursday, 24 hours and 15 minutes after he started his swim across Lake Erie from Pelee Passage lighthouse, Ontario. He had crossed thirty-three miles of water. Walker roused himself from sleep long enough this forenoon to say: "Never again!" The swim has snapped his strength. His legs are partially and temporarily paralyzed. He is sleeping an exhausted sleep on a cot in the United States coast guard station here.

Boat Fails to Show Up

The steamer Argus, which left Point Pelee lighthouse with Walker yesterday morning, left him shortly after, going to Port In-Bay, Command. Soldiers promised to catch up with Walker but the connection was missed. Walker arrived near Pelee Island at 11:45 o'clock yesterday morning and halted a bit, waiting for the Argus. When the boat failed to appear Walker and the five men in the rowboat decided to go ahead. This made it necessary to steer Walker by the sun.

Fights Choppy Waves in Fog At 5:45 p. m. yesterday they signalled the freight steamer Upton about sixteen miles from Lorain. The captain instructed them how to steer their course.

At 7 p. m. Walker had to fight choppy waves. Two hours later, however, the row boat crew sighted the Lorain lighthouse. For the following two hours a heavy fog enveloped the swimmer and his convey. Later on the moon came out, enabling them to get their directions fixed once more.

WITTENBERGS WIN MIDGET CONTEST ON THURSDAY

Thursday afternoon the Wittenberg Specials won from the S. and N. team at Copeland park, 11 to 7. Batteries: For the specials, Ressler and Zemb, S. and N. Strupp, Schiffer and Holowatt. The Wittenberg Specials challenge any midget team in the city to a game of baseball.

RUHR BECOMING RURAL

ESSEN, Germany.—Grass has begun to sprout on the tops of thousands of freight cars lying idle in the railroad yards of the Ruhr. Many of them are filled with merchandise and have not turned a wheel since the French and Belgians marched into the industrial area last January. The grass in some cases grows luxuriantly while London, Paris, Berlin and Brussels talk about peace.

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New York	66	31	.680
Cleveland	51	46	.525
St. Louis	48	49	.490
Detroit	46	46	.500
Chicago	42	49	.460
Washington	42	49	.460
Philadelphia	42	51	.448
Boston	35	60	.368
National League	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	64	35	.646
Cincinnati	61	38	.615
Pittsburgh	52	47	.520
Brooklyn	48	48	.500
St. Louis	48	48	.500
Philadelphia	41	67	.381
Boston	31	71	.307
American Association	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
St. Paul	61	35	.635
Kansas City	50	37	.571
Louisville	47	47	.500
Columbus	47	47	.500
Milwaukee	47	52	.476
Indianapolis	44	55	.442
Sioux Falls	41	61	.402
Toledo	35	65	.347

THURSDAY'S SCORES

th	Cincinnati, 2; Philadelphia, 0.
th	Chicago, 3; Boston, 1.
th	Washington, 5-2; St. Louis, 0-1.
ad	American Association
th	Milwaukee, 5; Columbus, 2.
ad	Toledo, 5; Kansas City, 3-5 (first
ad	Louisville, 8-5; St. Paul, 3-5 (first
ad	game called in darkness, second game called
ad	in eighth darkness).
ad	Minneapolis-Indianapolis, rain.
ad	International League
ad	Reading, 7; Jersey City, 1.
ad	Rochester, 7; Syracuse, 5.
ad	Only games scheduled.
ad	Southern Association
ad	Mobile, 9-2; Chattanooga, 2-3.
ad	Nashville, 8; New Orleans, 3.
ad	Birmingham, 2; Memphis, 1.
ad	Atlanta, 1; Little Rock, 1 (game called
ad	in darkness).
ad	Coast League
ad	Salt Lake, 2; Vernon, 1.
ad	Los Angeles, 5; Portland, 1.
ad	San Francisco, 5; Seattle, 0.
ad	Oakland, 4; Sacramento, 1.
ad	Western League
ad	Tulsa, 7; Omaha, 5.
ad	Des Moines, 3; St. Joseph, 2.
ad	Oklahoma City, 10; Denver, 6.
ad	Sioux City, 10; Wichita, 4.

FRIDAY'S SCHEDULE

Y	Boston at St. Louis.
	Brooklyn at Chicago.
	Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.
	American Association
en-	Milwaukee at Columbus.
nd	St. Paul at Louisville.
7.	Kansas City at Toledo.
ter	Minneapolis at Indianapolis.
	AMERICAN LEAGUE

SUMMER RESORT BURNS

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ALLIS AND SIXTY PLAY FOR STATE GOLF TITLE TODAY

Finalists Score Clean Cut Victories in Play on Thursday

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—N. P. (Ned) Allis, six times state champion and present holder of the title, and Billy Sixty semi-finalist in last year's state tournament, meet Friday morning in the first eighteen holes of the thirty-six hole final championship round. Allis came into the championship round through a succession of crushing defeats to those who opposed him in his side of the draw, while Sixty found many hard battles confronting him. Today's match is expected to bring out the best golf of play. Allis holds a distinct advantage in his iron play but Sixty is the longer driver by many yards. In his match against P. M. Davis yesterday, Allis used his irons for all but one drive. Sixty, however, was hitting them long and straight for the most part. Although Sixty has few backers to win, he is expected to make the champion follow a longer trail than his other opponents. The Sixty-Hayden match was the center of interest in the afternoon, it being almost certain that Davis could not withstand the attack of the champion. Allis was five up at the turn, Davis having won but one hole, the seventh where he sunk a long putt for a perfect four, while Allis was in trouble in a bunker. The remainder of the match was a slaughter. Allis' perfect iron play finding plenty of action for the next five holes. He won the eighth, ninth, tenth and eleventh, and halved the twelfth for a 7 and 6 win. During the match, Allis' putter faltered once. On the eleventh he over approached slightly, and required two putts to get down. On every other occasion, including the 117 yard sixth where he sank a five footer for a birdie two, his putter was working with precision. The card for the match shows: Par, Out . . . 455 343 433—34 In . . . 433 Allis, Out . . . 155 442 533—35 In . . . 413 Davis, Out . . . 446 453 444—40 In . . . 553

The Sixty-Hayden match furnished plenty of action during the first nine, in which Sixty was never headed, but lost his advantage twice when Hayden squared the match on the fourth and seventh. He went into the turn leading Hayden by two up, took the next three and halved the last two. Forty per cent of all American women are cigar smokers, social workers estimate.

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A. L. GAMES ARE CANCELLED BECAUSE OF HARDING'S DEATH

CHICAGO.—By The Associated Press.—All games scheduled for Friday in the American league were cancelled by B. B. Johnson, president of the league, because of the death of President Harding. Notice of the cancellation was wired to the presidents of the four eastern clubs on whose grounds games were to be played. CHICAGO.—President Thomas J. Hickey of the American Association today telegraphed all club owners where games in that league are scheduled today, asking them to call off the games for today because of President Harding's death.

M'CAULEY SIGNS WITH LUCKY ROSE REST OF SEASON

"SYL" M'CAULEY, who hurried for the Winonas against Lansing last Sunday, has been signed up for the remainder of the season by Lucky Rose, manager of the Winonas. It was announced that Fitzke had also been signed, but the former Montague outfielder will appear with Blair against the Nelsons Sunday. Jack Johnson has definitely signed with the Winonas.

DENIES BURGLARY CHARGE, ADMITS HE'S A BOOTLEGGER

NEW YORK.—Police Magistrate Corrigan blinked Thursday when Herman Otto Stone was arraigned before him on suspicion of burglary. "Occupation?" asked the clerk of the court. "Bootlegger," replied Stone quite frankly.



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WITTENBERGS AND FRASERS TO Battle Before Big Stand at Copeland Park

The first game of the indoor series for the championship in the Senior division will be played before the grandstand in Copeland park Friday when the Wittenbergs, winners at the north side, battle the Frasers, champions of the south side. The game will start at 6:45. The stands in Copeland park will be open to the public and the playground field will be laid out directly in front. The scene of battle for the second game will shift to the south side, at West Avenue playground, Monday night at 6:45. If a third game is required, it will be played at Copeland park next Thursday night at the same hour. Christopher is the big mound star for the south side, while the Wittenbergs have Wolf.

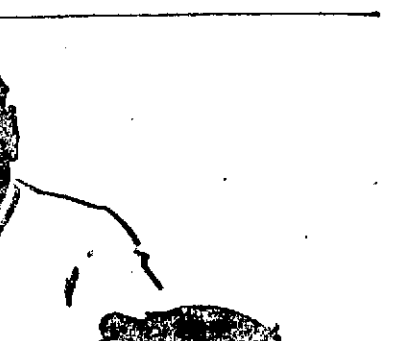
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GIANTS COP FINAL FROM PIRATES, 3-2

Watson Has Edge on Lee Meadows in Hurling Duel Thursday

SENSATIONAL SUPPORT BACK OF ALDRIDGE BEATS BRAYES

Donohue at His Best as Reds Humble Phils, 2 to 0

PITTSBURGH.—The New York Nationals made it three out of five games from Pittsburgh by winning Thursday's game, 3 to 2, in a pitchers' battle between Watson and Meadows. Groh's triple in the first inning scored Young, but errors by Carey and Traynor figured in the Giants' other two tallies in the third and fifth innings. Timely hitting accounted for Pittsburgh's two runs. The score: R H E New York . . . 101 010 000—3 9 0 Pittsburgh . . . 010 001 000—2 9 2 Batteries—Watson and Snyder; Meadows and Schmidt.

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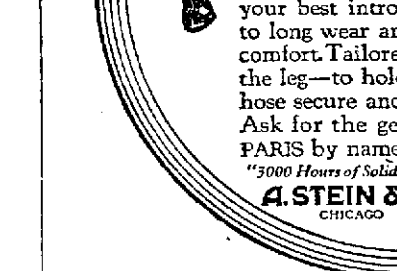
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LINK NEW SLAYING WITH DEATHS OF 3 OF BALZER FAMILY

Black Hawk Farmer, Living Near Balzer Farm, Found With Skull Crushed

MADISON, Wis.—A maniac at large in the neighborhood of Sauk City is being sought for killing a fourth person with a hammer at Black Hawk Thursday night. Robert Jaeger, Black Hawk farmer, was found with his head crushed with a blunt instrument at midnight. He was taken to the Madison Methodist hospital where he died at 3:30 Friday morning.

The slaying is similar to the mysterious slaying of the three members of the Balzer family within 10 miles of the scene of the last slaying a year ago.

The bodies of Julius, Mary and John Balzer were found scattered about their farm last August with their skulls crushed. Investigation showed that the three had been killed with a machinist's hammer. Whether a hammer was also used in the slaying of Jaeger has not yet been determined.

A peculiar incident of the murders is that none of the four victims had ever been married.

TWO NEW HOUSES DESTROYED BY DYNAMITE IN CLEVELAND.—An explosion of dynamite bombs early Thursday caused the destruction of two newly constructed houses and badly damaged two others. Neighbors declared their construction had been marked by labor difficulties. The houses were unoccupied. The damage was placed by the police at \$25,000.

BOARD DENIES LICENSES.—MADISON, Wis.—Licenses have been denied to Rose Nunnig, Raymond Bluechel and Fred Waring, Jr., of Milwaukee, Frank L. Puch and Arthur Rogers, Chicago, James V. Ford, Racine, and William H. Herick, Kenosha, by the Wisconsin Real Estate Brokers' board.



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"FAIR LADY" A FILM THAT PLEASES ALL

Rex Beach's "Fair Lady," now at the Majestic Theatre, is an attraction that does credit to everyone associated with it. It is one hundred percent entertainment in beauty, heart-interest and thrills. It is lavishly staged, admirably acted by a splendid cast and the story is unfolded in clear-cut, straight-from-the-shoulder fashion and finishes with a surprising smashing climax.

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FAIRBANKS AT THE RIVOLI.—According to legend, Robin Hood, he of infinite exploits of matchless valor in the days of chivalry eight hundred years gone, hit upon a clever method of avoiding the odium of rob-

rather than suffer the consequences of coming in contact with a deadly arrow.

STRAND—TODAY, TOMORROW

The most masterful photoplay of all film history has been founded on "A Certain Rich Man," William Allen White's world-famous novel, and comes to the Strand Theatre today.

The story is played in settings familiar to every American. It begins and ends in a small town, the original of which is said to be Emporia, Kansas, which is the home of the author. The first episode of the novel that appears in the photoplay is laid in the eighties, another period is laid at the beginning of the twentieth century, and the last period is modern. Three sets of characters and plot elements, and three periods in the lives of the characters first introduced are shown.

LYTELL TO APPEAR IN "THE MAN WHO"

"The Man Who" by Lloyd Osburn, which will be remembered by Saturday Evening Post readers as one of the most delightful stories of many seasons, has been made into a motion picture by Arthur Zellner and will be presented at the Casino Theatre today.

Betty's ambition to become a man who is inspired by his desire to win the favor of Helen Jessop, daughter of an old New York family, who has no use for men who were just "nice and ordinary." So Betty decides to go about faultlessly dressed, except that his feet are always bare as a protest against the high price of shoes.

ELK LODGE OLDEST MEMBER DIES IN COLORADO.—AGE 100 GRAND JUNCTION, Colo.,—A. C. ("Uncle Billy") Hildreth, 100 years old, said to be the oldest P. D. O. Elk in the world, died in Grand Junction, according to word received here.



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Ladies' Pumps, patent leather, low rubber heels, instep strap, wide toe, pair **\$2.98**

Ladies' Oxfords, in brown, low heels, rubber lifts, selling at only per pair... **\$2.98**

Men's Canvas Shoes, blucher cut, round toe, an ideal summer shoe, at a pair... **\$1.98**

Men's Work Shoes in light or heavy weight, pair... **\$1.98**

Boys' Muleskin Shoes, black or brown, priced special at only per pair... **\$1.68**

Children's Play Oxfords and Sandals, sizes 5½ to 11, at only per pair... **\$1.00**

Men's Oxfords, wide round toe, in brown, at only... **\$2.48**

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POLITICAL BOMBS PROMISED AT MADISON PROVE "DUDS"; SENSATION NOT FORTHCOMING

MADISON, Wis.—Political literary bombs launched by anti-Blaine propagandists have failed to explode and indications at the capitol Thursday were that any expectancy of sensational sensations had dwindled.

Three anti-administration men promised sensations. Senator Severson has been silent, at least officially, since the governor demanded that he name the officials and the circumstances in the alleged attack on women behind locked doors in the capitol.

Severson during the day told reporters that Governor Blaine should have backed his plea for an investigation during the session but did not say what information he had and dodged the question of filing charges with the governor as the executive had demanded. At 3:30 Thursday he could not be reached by telephone and it was reported at his home that he had gone to bed and refused to answer the telephone. If Severson has proof or information on which he based his story of moral delinquency it is evident that he will insist on keeping it to himself. After having failed to convince the senate at the last session that something should be investigated he is now indirectly answering the governor's demand for facts by again calling for an investigating committee.

Another political sensation was de-

BOARD OF REVIEW WILL MEET AGAIN MONDAY MORNING

The board of review, which hears complaints regarding income tax assessments, after meeting one day has adjourned until next Monday morning at 11 o'clock. The meetings are held in the courthouse. The members of the board are L. Kleeber, La Crosse; Tom Johnson, Holmen, and Adolph Toepel, Bangor. Mr. Kleeber was chosen chairman of the board.



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SAMOA REPORTS CAPTURE OF LAST OF MAN EATERS

Savage Captive Last of Four Who Held Natives in Terror for Thirty Years

PAGO PAGO, American Samoa.—The capture of the last of four wild man-eating savages who escaped from the island of New Hebrides in 1890 and landed on the island of Tutuila on a raft, ends the thirty-year dread of the island natives here for the man-eaters. The wild man was captured by an escaped prisoner who, being filled with remorse for his criminal record and being ashamed again to face his fellow men, said he took to the hills of Pago Pago where he had planned to commit suicide.

While the escaped prisoner was making preparations to carry out his suicidal intent, he was confronted by the black savage. The convict "got the drop" on the wild man, bound him, and held him prisoner over night. The next day the prisoner brought his savage captive to the Tutuila Naval Station here, where the two took their stand in dramatic fashion under the stars and stripes. Samonns gathered, but, apparently, feared to attack the savage they had hunted for many years.

Robert Louis Stevenson, in one of his books, told of the escape of four black recruited laborers from a German plantation in New Hebrides. The men, Stevenson wrote, fled owing to their ill treatment, and escaped to Tutuila on a raft. One was killed.

The three remaining blacks haunted the bush not far from Pago Pago, toward the eastern end of Tutuila, and were occasionally seen by hunters. In the year 1900 one was caught by a young Samoan chief, and the captured savage said that one of the other two had died, leaving only one at large. This is the man who has just been brought in.

Germany's floating debt was \$17,000,000,000 marks on June 20, last.

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF



Captain Moody Staten, of Seattle and Spokane, is on his way to Liberia, Africa, to become commander-in-chief of the Liberian army. Staten, shown here with his wife and child, is a veteran of the World War and a former student at the University of Wisconsin.

Yucatan has fallen for America's physical instructor to the United States great national game. It's sending a to study baseball.

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Fresh Weiners per lb.	15c	64 Size 35c when buying.	
Fresh Bologna per lb.	12½c	Best Watermelons of the season, per lb.	2½c

5 Bars Crystal White Soap	25c	This combination 33c
2 Packages of Sea Foam Washing Powder	10c	
1 Bar of Creme Oil Soap	10c	

10 Bars Flake White Soap	50c	Bob White Cookies per lb.	17c
1 bar Jap Rose Soap		By the box 15½c per lb.	
New Canned Peas, 15c kind now per can	12c	20c Can of Baker's Yellow Coconut, nothing better	15c
Circus Peanut Candy, 2 quarts	25c	Canned Pineapple, No. 1 cans	20c
Fresh Gingersnaps per lb.	11c	No. 2 cans 27c; No. 2½ cans 35c	
5 lbs. for 50c		No. 10 cans \$1.00	
Plenty of new Potatoes per pk.	45c	Rona Cocoa, ½ lb. cans, regularly 40c, now	28c
No. 10 Canned Gallons, Canned Peaches, something good, each	70c	70c Cans now 50c	
		2 Packages Camel Cigarettes for	25c

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NEW GERMAN LOAN TO BE ON A GOLD BASIS SAYS BERLIN

BERLIN.—By The Associated Press.—The German government has decided to issue the new internal gold loan of 500,000,000 gold marks on a gold basis, it was announced Thursday.

The shares will be based on the present value of the American dollar and will have a currency of twelve years, the loan to be exempt from the stock exchange and turnover taxes and inheritance duty. Both the interest and capital will be guaranteed by the whole German industry.

To provide interest on the loan increases are planned in the income tax rates.

MINISTERIAL COURSES STARTED AT APPLETON

APPLETON, Wis.—Students who wish to be admitted to the Wisconsin conference of the Methodist church began a two weeks' school at Lawrence college here this week. It was expected that more than twenty-five persons would be enrolled in the course before the end of the week. The Rev. W. P. Leek of Fond du Lac is in charge.

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Prunes, clean stock, per pound	15c
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Sunbrite Cleanser, at per can	5c

PROMPT DELIVERY.

DRY AGENT NAMED AIDE TO STATE FIRE MARSHAL

MADISON, Wis.—Conrad F. Asmuth, Milwaukee, a member of the state prohibition department, has been appointed deputy fire marshal with the state insurance commission. W. Stanley Smith, state insurance commissioner, announced Friday.

Mr. Asmuth was formerly undersheriff of Milwaukee county. He served with the prohibition department for six years and before that time was with the federal conservation commission.

Asmuth worked for the prohibition commission when Mr. Smith was in

charge of this department. Mr. Smith stated Friday that he believed Asmuth is eminently fitted for the duties of an investigator.

DIVER IS WOUNDED BY BIG FISH, DIES

MOBILE, Ala.—John Pierce, 27 years old, met a strange death at a summer resort close to the Gulf of Mexico, according to information received here.

Pierce was in bathing. He was an expert swimmer and diver. He made a high dive into deep water and came up in a few seconds gasping for breath and with a gaping wound in his left side near the heart. He was dragged ashore, where he died.

Physicians said he either was struck by a shark, sword fish or giant stingaree.

ANNOUNCE TEACHING STAFF FOR COMING YEAR AT RUSHFORD

RUSHFORD, Minn.—(Special).—The following instructors have been elected to serve the coming year in the Rushford schools: Superintendent, P. K. Cesander; high school principal, Jean Crawley; English, Sadie Ponwith; manual training, P. H. Noyes; home economics, Henrietta Kittledge; commercial, Nellie Somerville; music, Myrtle Jensen; first grade, Ella Arnold; second grade, Elsie McGilless; third grade, Leona Bayes; fourth grade, Madelin Kaiser; fifth grade, Belle Seafe; sixth grade, Ethel Liebold; seventh grade, Grace McLeod; eighth grade, unsupplied.

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Per dozen, \$1.35	
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Fresh Prunes, large size, per pound	15c
Fresh Apricots, per pound	15c
Calender Brand Steel Cut Coffee, pound	33c
Pillsbury, Wingold Flour, 49-pound sack for	\$1.90
P. & G. white laundry soap 5 bars	25c
Palmolive 3 bars toilet soap	23c

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Spare Ribs, at per pound	8c	Veal Shoulder Roast, pound	12c
Hamburger, at per pound	10c	Round Steak, per pound	15c
Sausage Meat, at per pound	10c	Fancy Side Bacon, by the piece, at per pound	18c

Boneless Pickled Pig Feet, by the jar 40c

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Butter, fresh creamery, per lb.	40c
10 Bars Classic Soap for	48c
Gold Dust, large size per pkg.	30c
Peanuts, fresh roasted, per lb.	15c
Rolls Tissue Toilet paper, 1000 sheet, for	25c
Packages Minute Tapioca for	25c
Wheat, 25c	
Beer Extract per bottle	22c
6 Boxes Matches for	25c
6 Wax Rolls for	25c
Sani-Flush, per can	22c
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Mustard Pickles per jar	17c

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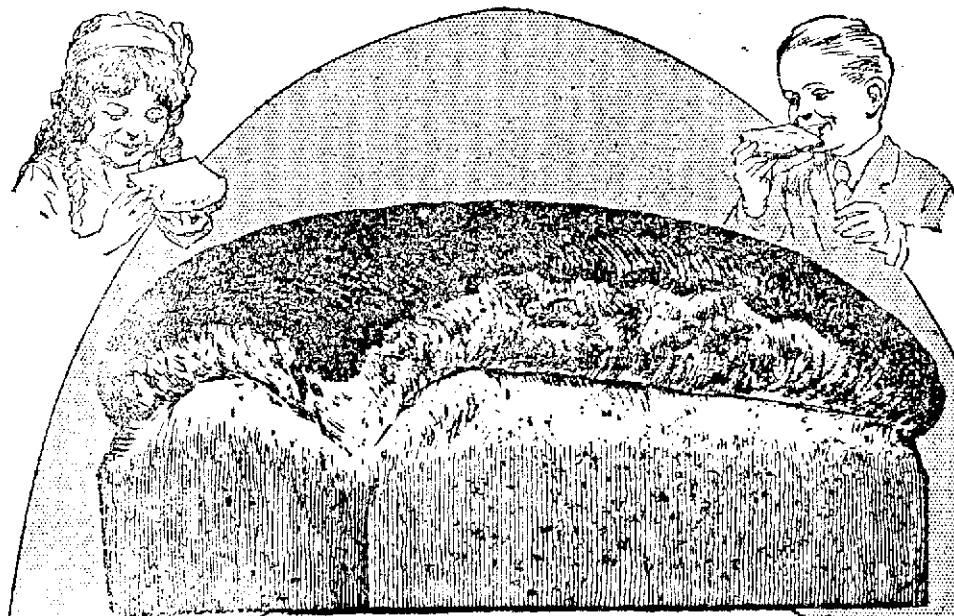
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Corn Flakes, nice fresh crisp corn flakes, 2 pkgs. 4 pkgs. for 15c, or	25c
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Peanuts, fresh roasted Peanuts 2 lbs. for	25c
Coffee, Wedding Breakfast Coffee, pound	30c
Sardines, pure oil sardines, per can	4½c
Salad Dressing, highest quality Mayonnaise Salad Dressing, Monarch brand, large bottle, at	27c
Honey, white clover Honey, per comb	22c
Olives, stuffed Manzanilla olives, 7½ oz. glass	23c
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CONSERVATION BODY TO ESTABLISH STATE CAMPS FOR TOURISTS

Camp Sites to be Set Aside and Thoroughly Equipped by the State

MADISON, Wis.—By Associated Press.—Camp sites for tourists are to be established by the state conservation commission on state lands in Northern Wisconsin, Elmer S. Hall, conservation commissioner announced today.

A demand for adequate camping facilities, more insistent with the great increase in tourist traffic, has led the conservation commission to make plans for definitely marked and thoroughly equipped camp sites, Mr. Hall said.

It is planned to build 15 or twenty camping centers with running water, toilet facilities, camp fire equipment, and other conveniences seldom to be found by tourists in their jaunts across the country.

These sites, according to Mr. Hall, can be located on state land bordering lakes, so that the tourists can swim and fish, enjoying the best that Wisconsin has to offer. Game and fire wardens would inspect the sites and keep them in order for the travelers.

"Thousands of tourists each season pass through the great tracts of state lands in the northern counties," Mr. Hall said. "They often need campsites that have been lacking in the past. It is our intention to meet this need adequately, and within a short time."

Mr. Hall expressed himself as opposed to the leasing system now in effect by which individuals are allowed to acquire large tracts of state land bordering lakes. Some persons acquainted with the workings of the state law have acquired frontage of 500 feet on several of the best lakes located on state lands for nominal rentals, according to the conservation commissioner.

By this means they are shutting the lakes out from the public, he declared. Mr. Hall recommended a termination of the lease system and the issuance of short time permits for small amounts of lake frontage to be used by individuals. Under the present system it costs more to look after the state interests on leased land than is obtained from the leases, he declared.

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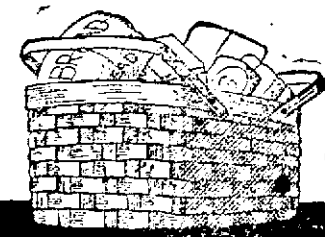
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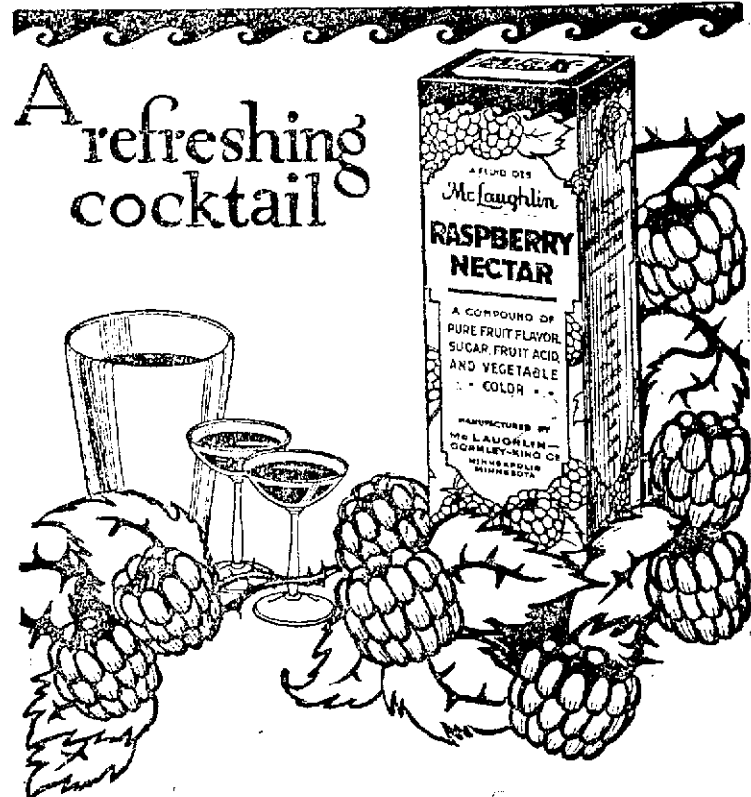
THE J. P. MORGANS GO ABROAD



J. Pierpont Morgan had prepared an interview before sailing for Europe on the Homeric the other day, but he didn't want to be bothered with photographers. Rather peeved because of the attention of the cameramen, he went aboard with Mrs. Morgan without giving out the interview.

SAVE CHILDREN IN FIRE

MONDOVI, Wis.—Children playing with matches in a hay loft are believed to have set fire to the Pattison brothers' barn here. They were rescued and the adjoining residence saved by efforts of telephone girls, who gave personal calls to volunteer firemen, as the fire department shined was out of order.



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Ground Veal and Pork per lb.	18c	Summer Sausage per lb.	20c
Beef Pot Roast, per lb.	15c	4 Large Rolls Toilet Paper, for	25c
12 1/2c and		Van Camp's Pork and Beans, No. 2	12c
Pork Shoulder Roast per lb.	15c	Sugar Corn, No. 2 can for	9c
Fresh Ham Pork Roast per lb.	22c	4 Pkgs. Quality Macaroni for	25c
Bacon Squares, sugar cured, per lb.	12 1/2c	6 Bars Grandma's Laundry Soap for	25c
Smoked Pork Butts per lb.	20c	10 Lbs. Sugar (with grocery order) for	90c
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RUSHFORD PEOPLE MAKING PLANS FOR A FINE NEW PARK

RUSHFORD, Minn.—(Special.)—In the near future, this city may possess one of the finest parks in this section of the state, if plans now afoot materialize. Backed by very favorable comment and more substantial aid, E. Paulsen, an engineer in the employ of the Minnesota state highway department, who has resided here for several months, has recently been looking over the possibilities of making what is known as Magelssen's Bluff, on the west boundary of Rushford, into a park. The one great difficulty in the way is the matter of constructing roads without too steep a grade. If this can be accomplished, the rest would be comparatively easy.

Dr. J. W. Magelssen, owner of the bluff, has for a number of years, considered the project of converting the big "plateau" on top of the bluff into some sort of a public park. Many natural attractions exist there, such as caves and beautiful views, while

numerous reminders of early Indian habitations exist in the shape of the old Indian chapel, Sentinel Rock, etc. The Great Stone Face, capping Maiden Rock, or Point Lookout, is a natural curiosity in itself.

MONROE "MILLIONAIRE" GOES TO AID FORTUNE

MONROE, Wis.—Although the city has a millionaire, his vast accumulation is valued at just \$1 now. Emil Brunner, hotel proprietor, has secured bonds worth 1,000,000 German marks.

He departed on Monday for a visit in Switzerland, and while abroad intends to see what he can do to bring the mark back to par so he can boast of a wealth totaling \$242,500.

INSTALL ELECTRIC PUMPS

DARLINGTON, Wis.—The city draws its supply of water from springs east of the city and stores it in a reservoir on the south bank of the Pecatonica river. A steam pumping outfit, which has been employed for years, will be replaced with electric pumps at a cost of several thousand dollars.

JOY RIDER GOT ONLY SCARE: CAR WRECKED

SHEBOYGAN, Wis.—An Elkhart Lake joyrider had a short ride but a merry one.

A. A. Mullen had parked his car outside the dance pavilion. Some one tried the joy ride with this auto as a medium, but backed too far in making the getaway and went over the

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Fresh Rib Soup Meat, per pound	5c	Pork Shanks, at per pound	8c
Beef Stew, Saturday at per pound	8c	Pork Pot Roast, per pound	12 1/2c
Shoulder Beef Steak, per pound	15c	Pork Butt Roast, per pound	15c

PORK STEAK, special for Saturday at per pound	12 1/2c
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Veal Stew, Saturday at per pound	5c	Veal Chops, Saturday per pound	15c
Veal Breast, at per pound	8c	Fresh Hamburger, pound	12 1/2c
Veal Shoulder, at per pound	10c	Pure Pork Sausage, pound	12 1/2c

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Beef Roast, at per pound	12c	Veal Chops, at per pound	15c
Rolled Beef Roast, per pound	18c	Veal Leg Roast, at per pound	18c
Corned Beef, per pound	12 1/2c	Pork Shanks, at per pound	8c
Sausage Meat, at per pound	12 1/2c	Pork Roast, at per pound	15c
Hamburger, at per pound	12 1/2c	Pork Chops, at per pound	20c
Picnic Hams, at per pound	11c	Salt Pork, at per pound	15c

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NEARLY A MILLION PAID IN SALARIES MONTHLY BY STATE

Report Shows State Pays Out \$900,000 Every Thirty Days to State Employees

OVER FIVE THOUSAND PERSONS NOW DRAWING PAY FROM STATE

Over Twenty-two Million Spent Yearly to Run Government

MADISON, Wis. — (By the Associated Press.)—Salaries for the employees of Wisconsin's state government amount to nearly \$900,000 each month, a report prepared by the office of the secretary of state shows. The payroll of regular state workers is shown to number 5,346.

Comparative figures indicating an increase or decrease in state employees and the amount of salary increase during recent years, is not available, the secretary of state reports. The state board of public affairs likewise says that it has no tabulations that would indicate the trend of expenses in the state government. Traveling expenses of state employees are not available at any office, both the secretary of state and the board of public affairs declare.

The tabulations by the secretary of state for a recent month show that regular employees drew salaries totaling \$886,557.04. The amount paid to part time workers was not contained in the report.

According to the salary reports, there were 1765 employees of boards and commissions drawing salaries of \$274,419.12 each month; 1034 employees of charitable and penal institutions getting \$77,824 a month; 639 employees of normal schools receiving \$105,289 a month and 2008 employees of the university getting \$428,998 each month.

The 5348 state employees whose salaries approximate \$900,000 each month run a government disbursing, exclusive of highways, over \$22,000,000 annually to carry on its functions, according to official reports.

The disbursements for governmental expenditures are shown by the board of public affairs records to have jumped markedly during the past few years, although a report issued by Henry A. Huber, chairman of the finance committee of the 1923 legislature said that a saving of over \$2,000,000 was effected by the last session in the biennial appropriations.

In making the summary of salary expenditures, the secretary of state listed 67 departments, boards and commissions paying wages to employees. There were 17 charitable and penal institutions having salaried employees, in addition to nine normal schools and the university.

BLACK ARE FRENCHMEN, AMERICANS ARE TOLD

PARIS.—The foreign office's warning regarding behavior of tourists who had manifested aversion to being thrown into company in public places with colored men from the French colonies was repeated in an editorial in the semi-official Temps with some explanatory comment. The editorial makes special reference to "those very rare—among our American guests who had forgotten that the French republic makes no distinctions between the inhabitants of its immense empire, whatever their race or color."

"They will, undoubtedly, henceforth," adds the article, "see in them nothing but Frenchmen like other Frenchmen and will recall that their own country, like ours, accepted during the war the co-operation of black troops."

The editorial reiterates that it was only a small number of visiting tourists who were affected by the note.

PROMINENT VIROQUA RESIDENT DIES HERE ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT

VIROQUA, Wis. — (Special.)—Mrs. Thomas Ellstrom passed away at a La Crosse hospital on Wednesday night where she had been taken the day before for medical aid. Her passing is keenly felt in this city, where she has resided so many years. Although in delicate health for several months her condition had not seemed alarming until the last few days. She was the wife of Thomas Ellstrom, a veteran merchant of this city, who is now associated in the clothing firm of Ellstrom and Johnson. The husband, daughter, Mrs. Otto Brown, and granddaughter Louise survive her. Funeral services will be held in this city.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING SPRING GROVE, Minn. — (Special.)—At the recent annual school meeting of this district the following instructors were hired for the coming year: High school principal, Ross Eakins; teachers—training, Nellie Bryan; agriculture, S. E. Robinson; home economics, Myra Vaughn; English and public speaking, Nina Solum; mathematics and physics, Arthur Solum; Latin and science, Ernest Siller; principal junior high school, Mrs. M. Karlstrom; junior high school, Clarissa Sundt; fifth and sixth grades, Helen Knapp; fourth and fifth grades and librarian, Esther Berland; third grade, Alice Larson; second grade, May Osgard; first grade, Minnie Nelson.

Not one person in 50 of the present population uses his or her brain to half its full capacity, says a famous scientist.

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- Saturday at
- Navy Beans, fine 2 lbs. 18c
- for baking, at
- Home grown new white 40c
- Potatoes, per peck
- Ginger Snaps, old 2 lbs. 25c
- style
- Pork and Beans in tomato 10c
- sauce, large cans at
- Nice Green Apples for cook- 3c
- ing or baking, pound
- Wilbur's Dutch Cocoa, 18c
- fresh stock, can
- Queen Olives in quart 49c
- jars, at
- Canned Corn, 2 cans 25c
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- Cantaloupes, Southern grown, 10c
- standard size, fine flavor, special at
- Coffee, Special blend, extra 27 1/2c
- cut quality, lb.
- Soap, 1-10 qt. pail free with each 98c
- 20 bar order of Bob White and P. G. Soap, 20 bars for
- 3 lbs. Navy Beans, hand 25c
- picked, for
- Potatoes, home-grown new 45c
- potatoes, pk.
- Pineapple, Sliced No. 2 1/2 \$1
- cans, 3 cans for
- Salmon, No. 1 tall cans, 15c
- pink
- 12 cans \$1.40
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- June, can
- Walnuts, new crop shelled 59c
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CARNIVAL WORKERS MUST BE INSURED INSISTS STATE BODY

MADISON, Wis. — The Industrial commission announces that it has commenced actions against carnivals and show concerns employing persons who are uninsured under the workmen's compensation act.

Since the beginning of the carnival season the industrial commission has been waging a campaign to force travelling shows to insure their liability under the Workmen's Compensation Act, the commission says. In past seasons there have been serious accidents occurring to employees

which were not compensated because the show left the state before action could be taken. In some cases the injured employee has been left to depend on the charity of the city in which he was injured.

JUSTICES' SALARIES HELD UP BECAUSE CASES LAG BEHIND SACRAMENTO, Calif. — Supreme court justices of California have been denied their salary warrants by the state for the last four months, because of failure to comply with the law relating to the disposition of cases before them within ninety days. It was stated Thursday by State Controller Ray L. Riley. The aggregate of salaries held up is \$18,648, or \$2,664 for each of the seven justices.

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- Corn Flakes or Post Toasties, 8c
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- meat, 7-oz. can
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- Olives, stuffed, Pocono 15c
- Pickles, sweet Gherkins 13c
- Pickles, sweet mixed 12c
- Catsup, Pocono, large 25c
- Small, 15c
- Worcestershire Sauce 28c
- Navy Beans, per pound 10c
- Red Kidney Beans, per pound, 12c
- Lima Beans, per pound 13c
- Split Peas, for soup, green, lb. 12c
- meat, Yellow, per pound, 10c
- Sugar Corn, 2 cans for 21c
- Little Quaker Corn, very fancy 17c
- Tomatoes, per can 12c
- Campbell's Soup, assorted 10c
- Pocono Flour, absolutely guaranteed, 24 1/2-lb. sack 99c

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- Comb Honey, per 23c
- pound
- Swansdown Cake 29c
- flour, large pkg.
- Calumet Baking 27c
- Powder, 1-lb. can..
- Prunes, medium size San- 25c
- ta Claras, 2 lbs. Saturday.. 2 for
- Salmon, 1-lb. can 27c
- best Red Alaska
- Macaroni or Spaghetti, Min- 21c
- nesota 3 pkgs. brand.... 3 for
- Toilet Paper, 10c rolls 23c
- crepe paper 3 for
- Sani-Flush, at per 21c
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LLOYD-GEORGE ASKS GOVERNMENT POLICY UPON REPARATIONS

LONDON.—By The Associated Press.—Former Premier Lloyd-George, speaking on the reparation situation in the house of commons Thursday afternoon, scored the government for not having any definite policy. He declared that with the parliamentary recess at hand and big events impending the house was entitled to know what the British policy was to be.

Incidentally Mr. Lloyd-George declared the sentimental factor of the French flag in the Ruhr and its bearing on France's national honor must not be ignored and he questioned whether that situation should not be accepted.

DENY PETITION FOR RETURN OF LIQUOR BUFFALO, N. Y. — Federal Judge John R. Hazel Thursday denied a petition for the return of seized liquor taken in a raid by prohibition enforcement agents in which the search warrant was subsequently conceded invalid.

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- VEAL STEW, Saturday 6 lbs. 25c
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- VEAL BREAST, to fill, at per 8c
- pound
- VEAL POT ROAST, special at per 10c
- pound
- VEAL CHOPS, Saturday at per 15c
- pound
- BEEF CUTS
- RIB SOUP MEAT, Saturday at per 5c
- pound
- CHOICE BEEF STEW, Saturday at 8c
- per pound
- SHORT RIBS OF BEEF, Saturday at 9c
- per pound
- BEEF POT ROAST, 10c and 12c
- per pound.
- Leg Veal Roast, whole or half, Special for Sat. per lb. 15c
- Choice Leg Veal Roast or Steak, center cut, no waste, lb. 25c
- Choice Rolled Rib of Beef, per lb. 20c and 15c
- Regular Hams, lean, 6 to 12 lbs., mild cure, special per lb. 21c
- Smoked Picnic Hams, our own cure, per lb. 12c
- Smoked Boston Butts, Hickory wood smoke, per lb. 20c
- Leg of Spring Lamb. Our supply is limited, order early, per lb. 25c
- Choice Lamb Chops, per lb. 25c

- PORK CUTS
- PORK LOIN ROAST, special at per 20c
- pound
- PORK RIB ROAST, special at per 18c
- pound
- PORK BUTT ROAST, Saturday 14c
- at per pound
- PORK STEAK, Saturday special 15c
- at per pound
- FRESH HAMBURGER, at per 12 1/2c
- pound
- LEAN PURE PORK SAUSAGE, 12 1/2c
- at per pound
- SMOKED MEAT
- BACON SQUARES, Saturday at 12c
- per pound
- BACON, WHOLE OR HALF 25c
- STRIP, per pound
- SMOKED SPARE RIBS, at per 10c
- pound
- BACON BRISKET, Saturday at per 15c
- pound
- LARGE PORK LINK SAUSAGE, 18c
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ing Shooting

SHANGHAI.—By The Associated Press.—An altercation took place among Chinese civil officials at Chung Wednesday regarding accommodations on the steamer Alice Dollar the Robert Dollar line, an American company, with the result that Chinese troops boarded the vessel and fired seven shots, injuring three Chinese women. Capt. Torroth, master of the vessel, was badly beaten. The women injured were Mrs. P. C. Windham and daughter of Ichang and Mrs. Torroth, wife of the captain. The women were struck by steel bullets. Mrs. Windham is the wife of the Dollar company's agent at Ichang.

The flagship Isabel of the American Yangtze fleet, which was near

lice Dollar. The marines captured the Chinese officer and thirteen soldiers and are holding them pending instructions from Rear Admiral William Phelps, commander of the fleet.

STOCK AND GRAIN MARKETS CLOSE TO MOURN PRESIDENT

CHICAGO.—The board of trade and the Chicago Stock exchange were closed Friday out of respect to the late President Harding. Both exchanges opened and closed without transaction, the governing committee of the stock exchange and directors of the board of trade meeting nearly simultaneously and voting to close.

NEW YORK.—All financial and commodity markets here closed out

respect to the memory of President Harding.

**DANCERS LEAVE QUIETLY
AS SAD NEWS COMES**

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif.—Few large crowds sought building more quietly or more quickly than did the assemblage of diners and dancers who were in the Palace hotel when President Harding died on the eighth floor.

An orchestra was playing and hundreds were dancing in the Rose Bowl room when an assistant manager entered and held up his hand. The

"Ladies and gentlemen," he said, "it is my very sad duty to inform you that the president of the United States has just passed away."

The dancers, almost in silence, sought their wraps and departed.

Public Debate

HELP THE TRAFFIC POLICE
Editor, Tribune.

Dear Sir: May I have space in the Public Debate column to say a few words to drivers in the interest of the traffic policeman at the corner of Fourth and Main? I should like to tell them something like this:

The traffic policeman is not on the job to "pick" on anybody. His job

either on foot or in a car. It is his job to see that you live up to his orders when you are on the crossing, for your own good and that of the public.

His job is hard, and you, as a driver, should at all times try to make it as easy for him as possible. When coming to his crossing watch for his signals. Do not try to run against the signal, for if you do it is possible you will run down someone, or strike another car.

If he finds it necessary to "call" you for some violation, either through ignorance or neglect, thank him. He has done you a service, and the community a greater one. He is protect-

Don't start to argue and tell him you are going to get his job. That's a waste of time, and you are just making matters worse by blocking traffic. It's not easy to get a traffic officer's job, especially when most of the time the fault is not his, but yours.

Try to make it safe for driving. And be decent to the traffic police men. He is there to protect you.

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FALL OF HINDUISM BEFORE ISLAMITES PREDICTED BY POET

Rabindranath Tagore Sees India
Again Under Moham-
medan Rule

CALCUTTA—A. P.—Sir Rabindranath Tagore, Bengal poet and 1913 recipient of the Nobel Prize for Literature, says in an interview that on his last visit to America in 1920 he was greatly shocked and disappointed by the selfish, nationalistic spirit which he found, and that he did not intend to visit the country again. With regard to Indian affairs, the poet predicted that the Mohammedans would soon gain supremacy over the Hindus, bringing India again under Mohammedan rule.

Tagore was found at his home and school at Shantiniketan (the abode of Peace), which is about four and a half hours by rail from Calcutta. When asked if he intended ever to go back to Europe and America, the poet said that while his first visit to America, in 1916, had led him to believe that the United States had become so powerful and so advanced in civilization that she would be able to avoid war herself and would also, by economic pressure, be able to prevent long conflicts between other nations, his last visit had brought only shock and disappointment. The country was war-mad, he said, and without the patience to listen to philosophers, poets or dreamers.

"I am afraid many of the things I had to say were unpopular," he added, "because an intense spirit of nationalism was sweeping America. I am opposed to nationalism in every form. For me every question is an international one. The press and public men were clamoring for what they called 'hundred per cent Americanism.' Ah, but that is a dangerous pattern."

In answer to questions regarding the future of India, Tagore predicted the conquest of Mohammedanism over his own religion of Hinduism. "It is possible," he said, "that Hinduism may be a religion of the past before many years, and the inhabitants of India converted to Islam by force. And who knows but that it might be

a good thing for India if the Mohammedans were to overrun it again? "Hinduism is a religion of pacifism, while the teachings of Mohammed transformed even our peaceful Hindus into fanatics with a lust to fight. Even now Mohammedanism is spreading rapidly in India. The latest figures show that there are more Mohammedans here in Bengal today than there are Hindus. So, if the government falls into the hands of the Indian people, it probably will mean Mohammedan rule again. But even that would be preferable to the present government, because it would be government by our own kindred."

ICE CREAM HAWKERS MUST PAY LICENSE

MADISON, Wis.—Hawkers of ice cream, candy and cigars who go from county fair to county fair in the state will have to pay a license fee in an opinion to State Treasury Agent C. E. Ballard. They are classified as peddlers and must pay the peddlers' license. This does not apply to churches and other organizations who merely have booths in their home county.

NEW LONDON PLACES CURB ON WATER USE

NEW LONDON, Wis.—The water supply situation here which might result in serious disaster in case of fire has caused city officials to issue a proclamation against all use of city water except for the most necessary purposes, under penalty of having individual service shut off. Extension of mains has dissipated the pressure so that the fire department would have little help in fighting a big blaze.



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MINING ENGINEERS WILL INVESTIGATE CANADA'S RICHES

American Institute to Hold
128th Meeting in Ontario
and Quebec

NEW YORK—(A. P.)—Mining engineers from this and other countries will make their summer pilgrimage this month to the heart of Canada's mineral riches. The 128th meeting of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers, it is announced here, will be held August 20 to 31 in Ontario and Quebec.

With the co-operation of the ministers of mines of these two provinces and of the members of the Canadian and American Institutes of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers, the vast mineral wealth of Canada will be placed on exhibition.

Petroleum and gas will be among the principal general subjects of the

technical sessions, which are to be held in Montreal. The geology of Santa Elena oil fields, Ecuador, will be discussed by Joseph H. Sinclair of New York and Prof. Charles P. Berkeley of Columbia university. Other papers will be presented by A. F. Weston of New York and Oliver U. Bradley of Muskogee, Okla.

"The average man of the street if asked what minerals of commercial value were found anywhere near New York," Secretary F. F. Sharpless of the institute said, "would probably answer, 'coal and possibly some iron.'"

"It is scarcely realized by the average citizen that within 24 hours' ride from New York, just a short distance north of the lakes, lie the deposits from which nearly all the nickel of the world comes from; then, on a little further to the northeast, the richest silver mines that the world has ever known are still producing; and then again a little further to the northwest we come to what promises to be one of the most interesting gold developments of the present century."

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Considerable interest has been aroused in American leather tanning circles by reports from Europe of the invention of a vacuum tanning process by Albert von Forsselles, a Swedish inventor. It is claimed that the new process effects a 2 per cent saving in tanning extracts used in the process, a 50 per cent reduction in power and coal and a 60 per cent saving in labor, the most important item. In addition

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